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THE WEATHER

Cloudy.

Partly cloudy today and tomorrow is the forecast for Pittsburgh and vicinity made by the official observer at Washington. The maximum temperature yesterday was 49 degrees and the minimum 27 degrees. The sun rose clear at 6:46 a. m. and set cloudy at 6:17 p. m. The daily report furnished by the local weather bureau follows:

Time.	Baro.	Tem.	Hum.	Wind.	Vel.	Weather
8 a. m.	.....	31	64	N.W.	5	Clear
8 p. m.	.....	42	66	N.	3	Clear

Comparative temperature and precipitation for March 6:

	1906	1905		1906	1905
Maximum	45	49	Mean	38	34
Minimum	27	28	Precipitation	0	..
Nor. temp. 31 yrs.	37		Nor. precip. 31 yrs.	.09	
Exc. for day	1		Defy. for day	.09	
Exc. since Mch. 1	36		Defy. since Mch. 1	.83	
Exc. since Jan. 1	18		Defy. since Jan. 1	3.37	

Government Weather Forecast.

WASHINGTON, March 6.—Forecast:

Western Pennsylvania—Partly cloudy Wednesday and Thursday; fresh west winds.

West Virginia—Fair Wednesday and Thursday.

Ohio—Partly cloudy and warmer Wednesday; Thursday fair.

Observations taken at 8 p. m.:

Chicago	34	Cloudy	Parkersburg	46	Cloudy
Omaha	34	Cloudy	St. Louis	40	Rain
Louisville	44	Cloudy	Cincinnati	38	Cloudy
Buffalo	32	Clear	Springf'd, Ill.	34	Rain
Cairo	46	Cloudy	Columbus	34	Cloudy
Wichita	52	Clear	Dubuque	32	Cloudy
Concordia	52	Clear	Davenport	32	Snow
Nashville	48	Clear	Grand Haven	30	Snow
Norfolk	40	Clear	Grand Rapids	36	Cloudy
Atlanta	48	Clear	Indianapolis	36	Cloudy
Abilene	46	Cloudy	Washington	40	Clear
El Paso	58	Clear	Des Moines	32	Cloudy
Oklahoma	56	Clear	Shreveport	58	Cloudy
Amarillo	46	Clear	Philadelphia	36	Clear
Duluth	28	Clear	Baltimore	40	Clear
Marquette	30	P'tCldy	New York	34	Clear
Madison	36	Cloudy	Cleveland	36	Cloudy
St. Paul	32	Cloudy	Kansas City	32	Clear
Havre	36	P'tCldy	Spring'd, Mo.	38	Rain
Helena	46	Cloudy	Chattanooga	50	P'tCldy
Bismarck	36	Clear	New Orleans	58	Cloudy
Huron	36	Clear	Montgomery	62	Cloudy
Memphis	56	Cloudy	Jacksonville	54	Cloudy
Vicksburg	64	Cloudy	Yellowstone	28	Clear
Peoria	36	Snow	Little Rock	46	Rain
Galveston	58	Rain	Fort Smith	46	Rain
Cheyenne	32	Clear	San Antonio	46	Rain
Lander	26	P'tCldy	Palestine	46	Rain
Denver	42	Clear	Gd. Junction	48	Clear
Pueblo	44	Clear	Los Angeles	52	Clear
Santa Fe	44	Clear	Boston	34	Clear
Salt Lake	42	Clear			

*Observations taken at 8 a. m.

LARKIN SAYS HE WON'T PAY LIGHT BILLS

Tells Company They Must Be Based on Franchise Provision.

PRICE IS TOO HIGH

City Controller Gets Busy When Mayor Hays Vetoes the Brand Resolution.

COUNCILS SUSTAIN MAYOR

Controller Larkin produced another sensation at City hall yesterday. Right on the heels of his sensational water meter holdup, the controller caused a still greater commotion yesterday in the city administration by giving notice to the Allegheny County Light Company that payment of its bills for the past three months was refused on the ground that the bills were not in conformity with the company's franchise agreement to furnish light to the city at 75 per cent of the rates charged private consumers.

The bills for which payment is refused are for November, December and January, and aggregate $78,000.

The notice was embodied in a letter of the briefest character, which was sent early yesterday afternoon to the president of the light company, J. Dawson Callery.

Surprised at Controller.

The action of the controller created as much surprise among the advocates of cheaper light as it did in the administration and among the supporters of the Allegheny County Light Company in councils over the Brand resolution, which provides for the enforcement of the Allegheny County Light Company's franchise ordinance. Controller Larkin was regarded as a defender of the light company, the controller attacking the genuiness of the Kenny contract upon which the Brand resolution was based.

Assistant Controller Morrow made the announcement yesterday for his chief.

"The bills of the Allegheny County Light Company have not been held up, as alleged, because of the claim of the city against the Pittsburgh Railways Company for street cleaning. The controller refuses flatly to pay the bills for the reason that the price charged is not made in conformity with the company's franchise agreement with the city."

Mayor Hays' Veto Sustained.

Mayor Hays' veto of the Brand resolution was sustained by common council last night by 22 9-14 votes in favor of the resolution, to 20 against it. Thirty-two votes, or three-fifths of the members elected, were required to pass the resolution over the mayor's veto.

The mayor, in a letter, explained his veto by stating that it would be better business policy to make a contract instead of attempting to enforce the company's franchise ordinance. He stated that there was no data accessible to show what light would cost the city under the ordinance, that the enforcement of the ordinance under the resolution would result in litigation, the outcome of which would be uncertain, for the city would be in the position of trying to enforce an unknown rate and would be bound to pay it, no matter what it might be found by the courts to be.

No Certainty as to Rate.

He stated that there would be no certainty how long the rate would continue, because the company could advance its rates to private consumers, and the city would be compelled to follow the com-

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HAIR CONTINUES GROWING AFTER DEATH OF OWNER

Lock Taken from Head of Dead Person 15 Years Ago Is Three Times Its Original Length.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

KITTANNING, Pa., March 6.—The spectacle of a lock of hair which was taken 15 years ago from the head of a woman who had just died and which has grown to more than three times its original length has attracted hundreds of curious people at Paulton, across the river from Apollo, this county.

Seventeen years ago Mrs. Mary Panter of Paulton had typhoid fever, and upon her recovery her hair grew to unusual thickness and length. Two years later she died.

A lock of hair eight inches long was cut from her head and placed between the leaves of a book. It was discovered later that the hair was continuing to grow in the book. Its length has increased until it is now 24 inches long and still growing.

No satisfactory explanation of the singular freak has yet been offered.

EVADES ALL PITFALLS.

Skillful Burglar Systematically Robs Sixteen Flats in Sixteen Days, Even Dodging Bear Trap.

NEW YORK, March 6.—(Special.)—Residents in the St. Joseph's apartment house, 20 East One Hundred and Sixteenth street, are up in arms against a systematic and successful burglar, who, in spite of all kinds of traps, including a bear trap, has robbed all the 16 tenants of the building one after another in 16 days. In each case the thief got $50 to $200 worth of booty, mainly clothing and jewelry. The police knew nothing about the robberies until tonight, when B. M. Morris reported the robbery of coats, child's clothing, watches and rings.

The apartment house is a four-story building, with four families on a floor. One tenant set a bear trap every time his family left the house, but the robber visited the apartment, took jewelry and left the trap untouched.

SUES NEWSDEALER.

Man Who Has $5,000,000 Litigation on Demands Seven Cents from an Italian.

CHICAGO, Ill., March 6.—(Special.)—W. N. Condon, who occupies a room at the Palmer House, and who began suit for $5,000,000 against the Chicago & Western Indiana railroad, is complainant in a suit for 7 cents before Justice Martin this afternoon. Tony Pacelli, 22 years old, is the defendant. Pacelli contracted to deliver papers every morning to Condon. March 1 Pacelli tendered a bill of 70 cents to Condon.

"I paid you 70 cents and I missed one Sunday paper." Condon is said to have declared. "Besides there were only 28 days in February, and you owe me 7 cents."

Pacelli refused to remit, and the suit is the result.

SHOT WHILE TRYING TO GET A REVOLVER

CONNELLSVILLE, Pa., March 6.—(Special.)—Mrs. Jacob Geek, aged 25 years, was seriously shot in the breast this morning while tussling for the possession of a 38-caliber revolver. Her husband had sold all the household goods preparatory to her departure today for her native home in Poland. Mrs. Geek went to the home of the purchaser, Alex Kimincysky to regain possession of the revolver, which she claims was not sold with the goods.

Marrying Couple Both Over 70.

LANCASTER, PA., March 6.—(Special.)—All local marriage license records were broken today when Jacob H. Ramsey and Rebecca J. McVey, both of Quarryville, secured the proper authority to wed. Ramsey is 77 and his intended bride 74. Neither has had any previous matrimonial experience and both are popular in their home town.

HAMILTON IS BACK, READY TO ANSWER

Deplores Death of McCall and Other Changes.

WILL FACE MUSIC

No Fiction About His Health, He Says—Assumes Name During Voyage.

SAYS HE GAVE VOUCHERS

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, March 6.—Andrew Hamilton returned to New York today on the steamer Deutchland, on which he was registered under the name of W. Milton. Mr. Hamilton was at the head of the legislative bureau of the New York Life Insurance Company and had charge of the legislative work of several large companies.

To obtain an accounting from him of moneys alleged to have been advanced by the late John A. McCall, as president of the New York Life Insurance Company, John C. McCall, secretary of the company, went to Paris recently. The accounting was asked for by the Fowler committee. Mr. Hamilton's statement was also placed before the legislative investigating committee. Explaining his return, Mr. Hamilton said today:

"I heard something about criminal proceedings and here I am."

During the insurance investigation Mr. Hamilton was in Europe and when John C. McCall met him in Paris and urged his return Mr. Hamilton said that his physicians would not permit it. Mr. Hamilton's connection with the New York Life was mentioned at length in a recent report of the Fowler committee and it was urged that he should return to New York.

John A. McCall, shortly before his death, sold his Long Branch home in order to return to the New York Life moneys which it is alleged he advanced to Hamilton without proper vouchers. Mr. McCall maintained, both during the insurance investigation and after he resigned the presidency, that he would trust Andrew Hamilton with every penny he had.

Mr. Hamilton said that he gave the former president of the New York Life vouchers for all expenditures, and that to any and all of these vouchers Mr. McCall would have given a certificate of indisputable character. He said that he registered under an assumed name on the Deutschland in order to have his return voyage free from annoyance.

"I have something to say," he said, "but not much. I know practically nothing as to the nature of the Fowler report. It will be time enough for me to talk about it when I have become familiar with it.

"As to my health, let me add that there is no necessity for any resort to fiction. I'm fortunate to be alive after all that has happened. But I'm not so fortunate otherwise. I'm especially unfortunate in the death of Mr. McCall, and I might say almost as much concerning the more recent removal of Lyman Short, chief counsel of the Mutual, to say nothing of the incapacitating of Mr. Alexander. To some who have gone I could have looked with no misgivings as to what they would say or do.

"As to what others have said and done during my absence—and, I might allude to those who live in glass houses—I will say nothing."

"You have come back to face the music?" he was asked.

"Yes, discordant or otherwise."

ANOTHER WESTERN INSTITUTION NOT UNDERSTOOD IN CHINA.

CHIEF QUESTION IS WHEREABOUTS OF DEFENDANT

Peculiar State of Affairs Exists in a West Virginia Murder Trial.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CHARLESTON, W. Va., March 6.—The case of the suit against Frank Wright, charged with murder in Marion county, came up in the supreme court today on habeas corpus proceedings. The question of importance seemed to be the whereabouts of the defendant. It is rumored that while his attorney, Mr. Ogden, and a sheriff were bringing Wright to this county last Friday, he escaped and has not been heard from since.

This statement is denied by his attorney, who says Wright was placed in the Parkersburg jail after a telegram was received stating an indictment had been returned against him. It was also said that the prisoner spent Saturday night in the jail at Point Pleasant, but this was denied, and Mr. Ogden claims he was returned to Monogalia County Sunday.

The court decided the prisoner would be compelled to appear in this court before any action could be taken. Mr. Ogden announced that he would have his client in the court this afternoon, which caused a flutter throughout the courtroom.

ARE FLEEING TO TENTS.

Earthquake Shocks Disturb and Terrify People of San Lucia, Martinique and Barbados.

SAN LUCIA, March 6.—(Special Cable.)—Though there are greater intervals between them and a lessening of intensity, earthquake shocks continue to disturb San Lucia's overwrought population. Some who have been occupying pretentious stone residences are now camping under tents.

Martinique and Barbados, hitherto immune, have had the same experience as the other islands, sustaining shocks. No one has been injured in San Luccia. The last great earthquake was in 1839, when the trembling earth laid Fort France in ruins. Three years later the island suffered from a shock which wrought disaster at Cape Haitien. In the following year the convulsion, which shattered Point-a-Pitre, was felt here.

NAME IS NOT ENOCH, EITHER.

Spanish War Veteran Has an Ardenlike Experience and Promptly Gets a Divorce from Wife.

NEW YORK, March 6.—(Special.)—Returning after an eight-years' absence to find his wife, Jennie, thinking he had died in the Spanish war, married to another, Christian Mannon of Williamsburg, after reciting his case to Judge Maddox, in the supreme court, Brooklyn, was today granted a decree of absolute divorce. Mrs. Mannon did not defend the action.

One day during the summer of 1898, she said she saw a report in a newspaper that Christian Mannon had died of fever. She was wooed and won by James Morris of Williamsburg, and in February, 1899, she married him. Suit immediately was brought, Mannon deciding to retire in favor of Morris.

SCHWAB QUITE SICK.

Abandons Trip to Mexico and Hurries Eastward, Ill, in His Private Car.

EL PASO, TEXAS, March 6.—Accompanied by a party of 18 persons, Charles M. Schwab, the steel magnate, arrived in El Paso in a private car tonight. It was stated that Mr. Schwab intended going to Mexico, but being ill, he hurried on to New York over the Rock Island.

LOS ANGELES, CAL., March 6.—Charles M. Schwab left for the east last night. Far from well when he reached Los Angeles, he was unable to leave his bed yesterday and only with great aid of will was he able to go to his private car from the Jonathan club rooms.

The party consisted of Mr. Schwab, Dr. M. R. Ward, C. D. Couldin, John Gleason, Donald Gillis, John McKane, E. A. Manor, W. R. Wharton, James Montgomery and Fred Whitmore.

CHILD'S TERROR INNOCENT CAUSE OF DESTRUCTION

Babe Crawls Under a Bed When Fire Is Discovered and Blaze Gains Headway.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

ALTOONA, PA., March 6.—(Special.)—A child's terror, which caused it to hide under a bed for safety, when a small fire started in her home, delayed the mother's efforts to extinguish the incipient blaze, and before the firemen had the flames under control they had done several thousands dollars damage. The fire broke out in the living apartments of Harry Hetrick.

Mrs. Hetrick started to put out the blaze and would have succeeded only she feared for the safety of her four children and decided to get them outside first.

Three were taken out without difficulty, but the fourth, frantic with fright, crawled under a bed. By the time Mrs. Hetrick found the child and prevailed upon her to come out the fire had made rapid headway and smoke was filling the bedroom.

PET MARE TURNS ON LIGHT.

Spooks Credited With Electric Illumination Until Investigation Proves Power Is Equine.

YORK, PA., March 6.—(Special.)—Everybody thought it must be spooks that turned on the electric lights, night after night, in Allen F. Brillhart's barn, at Dallastown. It did look like witchcraft, for the barndoor was invariably locked. Mr. Brillhart had an electrician examine the wires to see if they could get crossed, but he found nothing wrong.

The mystery was solved last night. Watchers saw Mr. Brillhart's pet mare, Phebe, who was always loose in the stable, go and turn the switch button with her nose. It looked as if Phebe did this for the fun of the thing. Long ago she knew the trick of untastening the staple of her feed box and her master had to put a padlock on that.

AT THE CENTURY MARK.

Connellsville Is Now One Hundred Years Old and Will Celebrate It in Style in July.

CONNELLSVILLE, PA., March 6.—(Special.)—Connellsville is 100 years old today. The town was laid out by Zachariah Connell from whom it derives its name and was incorporated as a borough March 6, 1806.

The anniversary was celebrated by the tooting of whitles, the ringing of bells and by a banquet given for the leading business men of the town by A. D. Soisson, the newly elected burgess.

The general celebration of the centennial, however, will take place the first week in July. At least $25,000 will be set apart for the centennial celebration.

FARMER RESCUES HIMSELF.

Uses Pocket Knife to Cut Away Dirt from Under Tree Which Had Fallen and Crushed Him.

WASHINGTON, Pa., March 6.—(Special)—With a tree laying across his legs and one of them broken, William Lanningham, a farmer of Jefferson township, took a small pocket knife from his pocket and cut away the dirt until he was enabled to extract his leg from under the terrific weight.

He was about half a mile from his home in a dense woods and had to crawl to his residence, where he was found on the doorstep in a fainting condition. Lanningham has been removed to a Pittsburgh hospital, but it is thought he will lose his limb.

RIOTS IN FRENCH TOWNS.

Separation of Church and State Is Accompanied by Shooting, Burning of Sulphur and Throwing of Lime.

PARIS, March 6.—Serious rioting occurred today, at several provincial towns during the inventorying of church property under the law separating church and state.

At Boeschepe, near Dunkirk, a manifestant was shot dead, and the governmen commissioner was wounded. Churches at Bressaire, Belfort and Charleville were strongly barricaded and crowded with demonstrators who prevented the making of inventories by burning sulphur and throwing lime in the faces of the gendarmes.

PRESBYTERIAN IS TO BE ORDAINED AN EPISCOPALIAN

Rev. Joseph Speer, Formerly a Prominent Pastor Changes His Religious Views.

More than usual interest will attach to the ordination of the Rev. Joseph Speers as a priest in the Protestant Episcopal church, which will take place at Calvary church, Penn avenue and Station street, tomorrow morning, because he comes from the Presbyterian ministry to the episcopate of his, really, first choice. His induction into the Episcopal church is of interest not only to Pittsburgh, but to Wheeling, where for many years he ministered faithfully and with distinction in the Presbyterian denomination until his conscience pointed him to another line of duty.

The impressive services of the church will begin with the morning prayer at 10 o'clock. The ordination services will open at 11 o'clock, and the Rev. Jacob Brittingham, a close friend of Mr. Speers, of St. Luke's church, Wheeling, will preach the sermon. The Rev. Dr. J. H. Mellvaine, rector of Calvary church, will present Mr. Speers to Bishop Whitehead, who will induct him into the office of priesthood.

Mr. Speers was pastor of the Second Presbyterian church at Wheeling for nine years, and they were fruitful years. One year ago he left the Presbyterian communion on account of not being in harmony with some of the doctrinal statements of the confession of faith, feeling that it would be dishonest to continue holding an office with which he was not in sympathy.

For the past seven months Mr. Speers has been engaged in organizing the diocese of Pittsburgh into a Men's Missionary Thank Offering society, which is endeavoring to raise $100,000 for a great memorial to mark the three hundredth anniversary of the first service of the English church held in America, May 14, 1607. Mr. Speers in presenting the subject in behalf of the general committee has aroused a deep interest in missionary work both at home and abroad.

Mr. Speers is an earnest, practical, every-day Christian, a messenger of help rather than the chilly adviser. Besides, he is youthful and sympathetic with those who are struggling with their first fierce contests with the problem of life and how to live.

MR. PHIPPS AT CORONADO.

Inspects New Hotel and California Property Which He Purchased Some Years Ago.

CORONADO, Cal., March 6.—(Special.)—Henry Phipps, with a party of friends from New York, arrived in his private car Olympia last night and will remain for a few days, when he continues his visit to the resorts of the coast, returning to New York over the Northern Pacific from San Francisco.

Mr. Phipps this afternoon visited, with U. S. Grant, Jr., the site of the new Grand hotel and a sightseeing tour of San Diego, where he owns considerable property which he bought several years ago.

OVERCOME BY SMOKE.

Two Firemen Are Suffocated and Another Cut by Glass in Fifth Avenue Fire.

Two firemen were overcome by smoke and another was cut by falling glass while extinguishing a fire at H. Frishman & Company's grocery, 720 Fifth avenue, last night. Capt. Frank Loxterman of No. 24 engine company was so effected by the smoke he had to be removed to the Homeopathic hospital. William Murray of the same company was also partially suffocated. George Sparr of truck E was cut about the hands and face by falling glass, but after his wounds were dressed he returned to the engine house.

True Bill Against Robert McCoy.

BEAVER, PA., March 6.—(Special.)—The Beaver county grand jury late this afternoon found a true bill against Robert McCoy, of Darlington, who is accused of murdering his brother, Hugh McCoy, a cripple, at their farm house on the night of December 13.

DEMAND BIG RANSOM FROM WEALTHY BANKER

Son of New York Italian Is Kidnaped and Held Under Death Sentence for $20,000.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, March 6.—A banker's son kidnaped and held for $20,000 ransom, is the latest puzzle the New York police have been called upon to solve. The parents, frantic with fear, have received two letters from the boy imploring that the sum be sent to his captors. The kidnapers themselves have twice written, demanding the ransom on penalty of the lad's death. The victim is Antonio Bozuffi, the 14-year-old son of John Bozuffi, a leading Italian banker at Sixty-third street and First avenue.

The kidnaping occurred Sunday when the bank is open during the afternoon. Yesterday the first letter came from the lad. Today came the second and with it the letter of the abductors. The latter were well written in Italian. March 8 is the day set for payment.

WOMAN WILL KILL CATS.

Mrs. Kate Covert to Rid Camden of All Feline Disturbers of the Night.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., March 6.—(Special.)—Camden has an overplus of feline pests. Argument recently arose in the S. P. C. A. branch across the river as to the best methods of decimating the tabby population. It was finally agreed that women should perform the task.

None of the Camden women was willing, however, and Mrs. Kate Covert, who wields the etherized sponge for the Philadelphia Society to Prevent Cruelty to Animals, stepped into the breach. She will receive 25 cents for each execution.

Gives Warning to Chauffeurs.

NEW YORK, March 6.—(Special.)—Coroner Harburger announced today that hereafter chauffeurs who have run over and killed persons with their machines and are arraigned before him will be held in $5,000 bail.

RESENTS ATTACK ON ATTIRE AND RESIGNS FROM CLUB

Mrs. Rhinelander Waldo Considers That She Knows What Is Proper to Wear at Lecture on Alaska.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, March 6.—Mrs. Rhinelander Waldo has resigned from the Entertainment club because she resented the suggestions made by a prominent woman, an officer of the organization, that she was not suitably arrayed for hearing a lecture on Alaska.

Mrs. Waldo is well known in this city for her wealth and social position. Her son, Rhinelander Waldo, is deputy police commissioner.

On account of the disagreement between the two women on the subject of the cut of evening gowns a heated colloquy ensued. The Entertainment club, which is an organization for the study of the topics of the day, holds meetings every week or so in the Waldorf-Astoria. The question raised by the toilettes of Mrs. Waldo was whether a gown which might have been worn at the opera or a ball was proper for an intellectual feast.

Mrs. Waldo says the gown in which she appeared on the night of February 13 in the Waldorf was just exactly what the occasion demanded. Therefore she resented the attitude of her censor, who told her everybody was talking about her attire.

TRYING YOUNG RIOTERS.

Board of County Visitors Sits in Court on Account of Tender Age of Prisoners.

SPRINGFIELD, O., March 6.—Because of the tender age of Glenn Johnston, arrested for rioting, it was necessary today to summon the board of county visitors to sit during the trial of the rioters, as well as the regular jury. The taking of testimony began this morning.

One hundred witnesses have been subpoenaed. Daniel Johnson, a Wittenberg college student, and John Lighty are accused in other affidavits.

WOMEN POLICE ARE SOUGHT IN BAYONNE

Advanced "Club Leader" Suggests This Course to Mayor for Benefit of the Boys.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, March 6.—Believing that boys would be kept from bad company by a police force composed of women, and that the morals of the boys would be preserved, Mrs. Julia Goldzier, of 26 East Forty-fifth street, Bayonne, has appealed to Mayor Garven to appoint such a force. The mayor is giving the request deep attention.

Mrs. Goldzier is well known as a member of women's clubs and as a Christian Scientist. Some time ago she startled Bayonne's social circles by saying she had assisted a whist team of the Newark Bay Boat club to win a difficult contest by administering "absent treatment."

She is the wife of Charles Goldzier, a New York lawyer.

MAY KILL PRISONERS.

Idaho Authorities Take Extraordinary Precautions to Protect Confessed Murderers of Steunemberg.

CALDWELL, IDAHO, March 6.—The grand jury investigating the assassination former Gov. Steunemberg reported to Judge Smith this afternoon. Judge Smith withheld the names of the persons indicted. It is stated that the six men in the state penitentiary at Boise are included and that they will be arraigned tomorrow.

It is believed a special train will be used to bring them here, as the officers fear that an attempt upon the life of Harry Orchard and Steve Adams may be made.

May Be Mrs. Gentry's Murderer.

WHEELING, W. VA., March 6.—The chief of police of Comeron arrested a man here this morning who is believed to be the murderer of Mrs. Gentry. He came to Cameron Wednesday and has been working in a restaurant. He has been going under the name of McGreary and has refused to make any statement in regard to himself.

WAR ON POLICE AND MARTIAL RULE

Assassins, Robbers and Panic Accompany the Continuous Revolt of Czar's Subjects.

BOMBS, DEATH AND TERROR

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

LODZ, RUSSIAN POLAND, March 6.—The war against police officials here continues. Today a captain and a sergeant of police were killed. The assassins escaped. A band of toughs are attacking shops, flats and offices and extorting money at the point of revolvers.

EKATERINOSLAV, March 6.—A panic prevails here owing to the repeated outrages. Police and Cossacks are patrolling the streets and the prisons are closely guarded.

TIFLIS, TRANSCAUCASIA, March 6.—The murderer of Gen. Grimzoff, chief of staff to the viceroy of the Caucasus, on February 29, was today sentenced to be hanged.

The viceroy has proclaimed martial law at Borichalensk.

Violence and robberies at Tiflis are continually reported.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 6.—Lieut.-Gen. Linevitch arrived in St. Petersburg today. Lieut.-Gen. Rudiger, minister of war, and a few military officers were at the station to welcome him, but no demonstration was arranged in his honor. His reception was cold.

A wholesale bomb factory was captured by the police today at the lodgings of a druggist. One hundred and twenty loaded bombs were seized. The apartments had been the rendezvous of students and revolutionists, 20 of whom were captured. Another terrorist, who was arrested in the street, had a bomb in his pocket.

Father Gapon in an open letter today denounces Father Grégori Petroff as a traitor and a tool of the Social Democrats, who, he says, are fighting against the true interests of the workingmen. Father Gapon also proposes a plan for a complete investigation of his organization by representatives of the various parties. Father Petroff was the author of the charge that the Gapon organization accepted money from the government, which resulted in Sechoff's suicide.

ALLEGHENY'S SCHOOLS.

New Board of Controllers Organize and Proposed Investigation is Side-Tracked.

The Allegheny board of school controllers last night reorganized for the ensuing fiscal year by re-electing the following officers: President, David B. Oliver; secretary, George W. Gerwig; chairman public school library committee, Louis Mendel.

These teachers of the grammar grade recommended by the local boards were elected: Third ward, Lucas S. McClarty, M. P. Given, Sarah E. Dieken; Fifth ward, Luella Crawford; Sixth ward, Lida Boyd; Eleventh ward, Julia M. Stephenson, Ada A. Mansfield and Sarah Wright Ziegler, Wright takes the place of Miss Jennie A. Morrow, resigned; Thirteenth ward, Mary G. Crown.

Principal David T. Hunnell, of the Seventh ward, asked that an investigation of the schools in the ward be made to silence the reports of mismanagement. His request was shelved after a statement by one of the directors that harmony existed in the ward board, despite the efforts of a former principal of the ward and two disgruntled teachers.

ORGANIZING COUNCILS.

Borough Legislatures Select Their Officials at First Meeting After the Election.

Borough councils organized last evening as follows:

SEWICKLEY—President, Frank Straw; vice president, F. G. Paulson; clerk, D. C. McFarland; engineer, A. D. Martin; street commissioner, Philip Doty; Joseph Craig was sworn in as burgess. The election of a solicitor was held over until next month.

CRAFTON—Thomas J. Fitzpatrick, president; J. W. Taylor, treasurer; W. O. H. Elliott, clerk; John O. Petty, solicitor.

MARKS ROCKS—President, J. H. McDermott; clerk, John F. Gillen; solicitor, S. L. Webb; engineer, S. L. Gardner; street commissioner, A. J. Heine; chief of police, James H. Brannan. C. C. Keck was re-elected borough treasurer. M. C. O'Donovan was sworn in as burgess.

COLLIERS—President, O. C. Purdy; chief of police, D. J. Dugan. The selection of a clerk, borough treasurer and other officers was held over until the next meeting.

TRADES CLASSES ELECT TEMPORARY OFFICERS

Representatives of each of the 15 classes of apprentices and journeymen of the trades school of the Carnegie Technical schools have formed a temporary organization. W. K. Kreps is temporary chairman, and F. C. Kelley temporary secretary. The executive committee includes Warren Baird, John Rickley, A. K. Scandrett, Karl Wilharm, H. L. Otterson, W. K. Kreps and F. C. Kelley. The committee on constitution consists of James Kane, H. Priddy, James McKaig, William Hamilton, W. K. Kreps and F. C. Kelley. The night students of the Technical schools will hold a smoker at the school Friday night, when the Glee club is expected to make its initial appearance.

PITTSBURGH ENGINEER GETS NEW YORK JOB

NEW YORK, March 6.—(Special.)—Nine additional designing, department and division engineers, at salaries varying from $1,500 to $5,000 a year, were appointed today by the new board of water supply, which is planning to build the $200,000,000 system of water supply in the Esopus watershed. Included is Thomas H. Wiggins of Pittsburgh, designing engineer, at $5,000 a year.

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

NIXON—William Gillette in "Clarice," 8:15 p. m.

DUQUESNE—Cyril Scott in "The Prince Chap," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.

GAIETY—Madigan's Trocaderos and Brinn and the Alpine family, 2 and 8 p. m.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE—Continuous vaudeville bill of 15 acts, headed by Fadettes Woman's orchestra, 1:30 to 10:45.

ALVIN—"Texas," 8:15 p. m.

EMPIRE—Black Patti's Troubadours, 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.

WILLIAMS' ACADEMY—"The Thoroughbreds," burlesque and extravaganza, 2 and 8 p. m.

BIJOU—"McFadden's Flats," 2 and 8 p. m.

DUQUESNE GARDEN—Ice skating, with music, afternoon and evening.

CARNEGIE INSTITUTE ART GALLERIES—Permanent collection paintings and Neapolitan bronzes, 10 a. m. to 10 p. m.

STEAMSHIP INTELLIGENCE.

Arrived, March 6.

NEW YORK—Nordham, Rotterdam and Bologne; United States, Copenhagen; Minneapolis from London; Deutschland, from Naples; Vaderland, from Antwerp.

Philadelphia—Merion, Liverpool and Queenstown.

Antwerp—Zeeland, New York, via Dover.

Gibraltar—Barbarossa, New York for Naples and Genoa.

Genoa—Lombardia, New York via Naples.

Sailed, March 6.

New York—Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, Bremen, via Plymouth and Cherbourg; Carpathia, Genoa, Naples and Trieste.

Liverpool—Carthaginian, Philadelphia, via Halifax; Ivernia, Boston, via Queenstown.

Tonic, Delgado—Romania (from Alexandria and Naples), New York.

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CHINA ISSUES ORDERS TO PROTECT MISSIONS

Alarmed at Unfriendly Comments, Chinese Government Appeals for Consideration.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

PEKIN, March 6.—The Chinese government is greatly perturbed by the reports of anti-foreign movements printed in the American and European press, and particularly by the dispatches announcing America's preparations for a military expedition in case of need. These reports it is alleged tend to embarrass the foreign ministers and create strained relations between them and the officials here.

A long edict, published in the Official Gazette here today, after referring to the warlike reports, declared that they are circulated by traitors who wish to sepdrate China from her friends. The edict points out the great difficulties which confront China at present, and the strong need for maintaining friendly relations with the powers. It reproves Chinese students for meddling with politics and charges officials, high and low, to thoroughly protect the lives and property of foreigners, specifying the missions, under pain of the most severe punishment.

A strong force of troops of Yuan Shi Kai has been sent to the southern part of the province of Chi Li, where the people have been threatening the Christians.

NEW DIRECTOR CANCELS FILTRATION CONTRACT

First Official Act of Thomas L. Hicks is an Important One—Company Will Fight.

PHILADELPHIA, March 6.—One of the first official acts of Thomas L. Hicks, who was today sworn in as director of public works of Philadelphia, was to annul the five contracts held in the name of Daniel J. McNichol for the construction of several parts of the city's filtration system. The reason given by the director for the rescindment of the contracts is "collusion, irregularity and fraud in the procuring and execution of the contracts whereby the city has been wronged and defrauded in its rights and property."

The total value of the cancelled contracts is $1,976,000. The McNichol firm, which includes former State Insurance Commissioner Israel W. Durham and State Senator James P. McNichol, had already completed contract work on the filter plant amounting to more than $12,000,000.

The McNichol firm has determined not to give up the contracts without a contest. Senator McNichol has turned the matter over to his counsel and has declared that he will institute legal action against the city to compel the director to rescind his order. Suit, Mr. McNichol said, would be begun in the common pleas courts tomorrow.

TALK BALLOT REFORM.

National Civic Federation Fosters Discussion of Primary and Election Laws by Noted Men.

NEW YORK, March 6.—Delegates from nearly every section of the country were present today at the opening of the second national conference for the reform of primary election laws and corrupt practices acts under the auspices of the National Civic Federation. Josiah Quincy, former mayor of Boston, presided. Mr. Quincy said he believed most of the reforms in the election system could be traced to the Australian ballot law.

Irvin S. Look, speaker of the Wisconsin assembly, said that the fight in his state was won in spite of the convention system. The railroad lobbyists opposed the primary law because it prevented them from getting together to "talk it over with the voter."

A letter from Perry Belmont, expressing his regret at not being able to attend the conference and giving his views on the subject of ballot reform and corrupt practices was received.

FIGHT FOR ALDERMAN.

Four Thirteenth Ward Republicans Want to Be the Successor of Emil Sparr.

There is an interesting contest among Republicans in the Thirteenth ward for the aldermanic appointment. The vacancy is caused by the death of Emil Sparr. The candidates are Nicholas Sparr, son of the alderman; J. W. Neff, who was defeated for the nomination in 1905 by Emil Sparr; Christopher Wolf and Thomas Gay.

Gov. Pennypacker will likely name the man recommended by Senator Wilbert, in whose district the Thirteenth ward is located. Ward Chairman McNeil is said to be back of Wolf, but there is a division of opinion in the committee.

William H. Sharrah, who resigned Monday from the Braddock fire department, will have charge of the electrical apparatus in the county court house after April 1.

PACKING HOUSE CLERK DESTROYED DOCUMENTS

CHICAGO, March 6.—T. M. Robertson, the special agent who conducted the investigation into the packing houses at Omaha, on the stand in the packers' case today, said he did not secure all the information he desired, because the clerk had destroyed some of the sheets containing the figures he wanted. The clerk, he said, did not know that he wished to obtain the information.

Anti-Vaccinationists to Meet.

The Anti-Vaccination society will meet this evening in room 518, Frick building, and will be addressed by Mrs. Lora C. Little of Minneapolis. The meeting is due to the actions of Dr. Dickson of the state board of health. Recently a number of anti-vaccination people at Wilkes-Barre burned the doctor in effigy.

Sisters Are Married to Brothers.

GREENVILLE, PA., March 6.—(Special.)—A double wedding took place at the home of Phillip Garts in Pymatuning township last evening, when two daughters, Lizzie and Sallie E. Garts, became respectively the brides of Edward E. and Garfield B. Pfouts, brothers, of Hartford, O.

RIGHT TO DRINK BELONGS TO ALL

The Rev. C. A. Voss Makes Appeal for Personal Liberty and Denounces Prohibition.

AGAINST STRICT SUNDAY LAW

Special Telegram From
I. W. STRAYER, Staff Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, March 6.—The Rev. Carl August Voss, pastor of the German Evangelical Protestant church, Smithfield street and Sixth avenue, Pittsburgh, appeared before the judiciary committee of the house today to argue against the passage of the Hepburn-Dolliver bill. This bill makes more stringent the laws affecting the liquor traffic in prohibition states and prevents the consignment of original packages to unknown persons. Mr. Voss made a strong speech against it declaring that it was an invasion of the rights of the people, and that it would only encourage intemperance and hypocrisy. He said:

Permit me to preface my remarks by stating that personally I do not use intoxicating liquors in any form, so that my appearance before this committee in opposition to this bill may not be construed as having even the slightest personal motive. I appear before you today as a pastor of the oldest religious society in the Allegheny valley, oldest without regard to nationality or denomination, a congregation which has always taken a decided position in the interest of liberty in every department of life, battling for freedom of thought, conscience and action, contending that only thus can the true character of man be elevated and strengthened.

But primarily I present this argument to you as the representative of the German National Alliance of Western Pennsylvania, an organization comprising more than 150 separate societies, having a joint membership exceeding 27,000 citizens.

Prohibition is Demoralizing.

We desire to direct your attention to the relation which the import of this bill bears to the great privilege prized by us as German-Americans, the divine gift of personal liberty. We wish to impress upon you that a large quota of good, respectable, law-abiding, yea Christian men and women, are most bitterly and most emphatically opposed to the enactment of such laws as this, that would accomplish nothing but further the demoralizing advance of prohibitory endeavors.

We German-Americans see in this legislation an attack upon republican institutions and a menace to the welfare of the nation at large. We have a higher ideal than that which is represented by the desire for a glass of beer or a whisper of wine. In a spirit of true sacrifice we are devoted to the preservation of that which makes our nation great and, therefore, we protest against the enactment of any law like this measure which would have in its wake an increase of the nefarious practice of smuggling, invite lawlessness, produce hypocrisy, militate against true temperance, and undermine civic virtue. It is another notorious fact that wherever strict Sunday laws have been enforced and the common people deprived of their opportunity to enjoy lawfully, on this day of freedom from toil, the social intercourse induced by the companionship over the glass of beer, speakeasies and other disreputable dens have been opened and, instead of consuming their beverage in a lawful manner and possibly in the company of their families, thus promoting true temperance, the common people in their effort to secure that which they consider their rightful privilege are compelled to repair to these dens, where the greatest intemperance is fostered and the accompanying vices nurtured.

Makes Honest People Dishonest.

Wherever prohibition laws have been enacted and enforced, honest people have become dishonest, and temperate people intemperate, for the usual and most natural result has been the illegal procuring, not of malt beverages, which would be more dangerous of detection on account of the bulk, but rather of strong alcoholic liquors, the constant use of which is followed by disaster, desolation and often death. Because one person loses control over himself by becoming intoxicated is no justifiable reason for denying the use of spirituous liquors to such as know how to use them rationally.

Abuse on the part of one never provides a cause for the condemnation of millions of innocents. Because in this conglomerated nation the representatives of one national extraction are unable to curb their appetites and control their passions, cannot reconcile the innocent sufferers to the apparent necessity of the punishment of all. Prohibition laws have called forth the ridicule of other nations which, though controlled by monarchical powers, would hesitate to arouse the ire of their subjects by thus attempting to deprive them of their privileges and humiliate them before the world. Our forefathers as well as ourselves have fought for religious, political and personal freedom and have always been proud of the progress that we have achieved. Today, we appeal to you not to take a step backward by depriving your fellowmen of their private pleasure and domestic joy.

MORE YARD ROOM AT CONWAY.

Plans Received for Additional Improvements to the Pennsylvania System.

ROCHESTER, PA., March 6.—(Special.)—Plans have been received for additional improvements embracing much needed room for handling, repairing and housing of engines, etc., for the big yards of the Pennsylvania at Conway. A new roundhouse to contain stalls for 41 engines is to be built near the present one, also a new outside turntable. A new coaling station and ash pits with facilities for handling 150 engines daily are to be installed.

A large storeroom, machine shops, boiler shops, water tank, general office building, oil house and ice house are also to be erected. The present location of the general offices are to be changed to the east side of Crowes run. The working capacity both of the motive power and the car repair departments will be increased to a great extent.

Griggs Is Chosen Chairman.

WASHINGTON, March 6.—Representative J. M. Griggs of Georgia was unanimously chosen chairman of the Democratic congressional committee tonight, at a meeting in the capitol, attended by 31 members. Mr. Griggs announced that his election bears no relation to the fortunes of any individual or faction, but means a fight all along the line for a Democratic house of representatives. Other officers of the committee elected were: Secretary, Charles A. Edwards, Texas; assistant secretary, Capt. J. L. Pearcy, Tennessee; treasurer, James L. Norris, District of Columbia; sergeant-at-arms, J. J. Simott, Virginia. The committee has $2,200 cash on hand.

WILL EXPOSE ACTS OF NEW YORK "COPS"

Berthe Claiche Pleads Guilty to Killing and Will Turn State's Evidence.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, March 6.—The trial of Berthe Claiche for the murder of Emil Gerdron came to a sudden termination today, when the young French woman pleaded guilty on advice of her counsel, to manslaughter in the first degree. This is not the end of the case. An attempt will be made to columate it as an investigation of a certain class of policemen with Berthe Claiche as state's evidence. This was made plain by statements of the judge and the defendant's counsel.

The defendant was carried to the Tombs prison, struggling hysterically with the police and screaming. The trial had proceeded to the point where it was expected that Berthe Claiche would go on the witness stand herself within the next few minutes, when during a recess her counsel went into conference with District Attorney Jerome.

Judge Otto Rosalsky, one of the defendant's lawyers, talked to his client for three minutes. At the close of this talk she burst into tears and was so near collapse that she had to be assisted to the railing before Justice Davis. A clerk asked her if she would plead guilty to manslaughter in the first degree. The young woman replied "Yes," and fainted, falling to the floor of the court room.

Abraham Levy said late today that he has pledged that she will tell all she knows about the relations of the police with the women of the tenderloin.

DAY OF JUDGMENT IS ANNOUNCED BY CLOCK

Woman Awakens Shadyside Residents to Tell Them the Last Day Has Arrived.

Shouting "The day of judgment is here," and singing hymns, Mrs. Mary Tableman awakened the residents of Shadyside as the dawn was breaking yesterday. Mrs. Tableman has a fish store in Aiken avenue, near Walnut street. With an alarm clock under her arm the woman paraded up and down Aiken avenue to the whir-r-r of the timekeeper, at the same time singing and calling on the people to awake, as the "day of judgment was at hand."

Windows were thrown open and the frightened residents rushed to them, scared from their warm beds. Parading in the street was a small figure in white who, shaking the clock over her head, was gesticulating and singing. Officer William Welsh heard the whirr of the clock and thinking it a burglar alarm, rushed at full speed toward the noise. The small figure in white saw him as he turned into Aiken avenue, and dropping the alarm clock ran toward him shouting, "This is one soul I have saved."

After considerable trouble he quieted the woman and sent her to the East End station house. She is said to be demented. The police said last night that she had strangled her pet cat and a parrot before she left her home with the alarm clock under her arm.

WILL BUY THE POPE PLANT.

The Directors of the La Belle Iron Works Ratify Recent Deal of Its Officers.

WHEELING, W. VA., March 6.—At a meeting of the directors of the La Belle Iron Works this afternoon at Steubenville, the deal by which the company secures the control of the Pope Tin Plate Company was ratified. The company has already purchased the majority of the stock at 125, and all the remaining stockholders are to be given the privilege of selling their stock at the same figure, involving all told $812,500.

George Greer of New Castle, district manager of the American Sheet and Tin Plate Company, and a La Belle director opposed the deal on the ground that when La Belle sold its tin plant in Wheeling several years ago it agreed not to re-enter the tin plate business, but he was voted down.

RETIRES FROM PUBLIC LIFE.

J. Lee Plummer Will Devote His Time in the Future to His Profession.

HOLLIDAYSBURG, PA., March 6.—(Special.)—The Hon. J. Lee Plummer, late Republican candidate for state treasurer and chairman of the house appropriations committee in the legislature, today formally announced his retirement from public life and released his friends from all political promises. He thus explains his action:

"I have served Blair county two terms, which includes three sessions in the legislature, and am satisfied. In justice to myself and family I must now devote my time to my profession. This does not mean that I will retire from politics. In the future, as in the past, I will be found ready and willing to do active service for the Republican party and to help a friend."

RATE WAR STARTS.

Fare from Chicago to New York Is Reduced to $16 by the Rock Island.

CHICAGO, March 6.—The eastern passenger war, threatened for some time owing to the differential trouble, was precipitated today by the Grand Trunk, whose officials wired to Washington a notice of reduced schedules to take effect Saturday. The new rates will affect the eastern points wherever differential fares now apply over any railroad.

The new rates, which have been filed with the interstate commerce commission, make the first-class fare from Chicago to New York $16 and second-class $15. Chicago to Boston, $16 and $15, and a like reduction to all intermediate points east of Buffalo.

SLEEPS HIS LIFE AWAY.

Escape Gas Fumes Asphyxiate Howard I. Richardson in His Room.

Howard I. Richardson, aged 19, of 5304 Gertrude street, was found asphyxiated in his room shortly after 5 o'clock last evening. He was a night clerk for the United States Express Company, and while sleeping yesterday the gas flame in the stove puffed out and the escaping fumes suffocated him. He was found by his mother, Mrs. C. A. Richardson, who went to call him for supper.

Christopher Arnold, aged 67, of 70 Miller street, died from heart disease at his home yesterday. He was a tailor and is survived by his wife.

Telephone Inventor May Attend.

Alexander G. Bell of Washington, D. C., inventor of the Bell telephone and a former teacher of the deaf and dumb language, is to attend the convention of the American Association to Promote the Teaching of Speech for the Deaf, to be held here June 27 to July 3. Principal W. M. Burt and the 20 teachers of the Western Pennsylvania Institute for Deaf and Dumb at Edgewood are arranging for the convention. The association has about 1,500 members, and 400 delegates are expected.

Union Men to Answer for Outrage.

NEW YORK, March 6.—Charles Moran and Thomas Weir, two members of the Structural Iron Workers' union, were rearrested tonight following their indictment by the grand jury on charges of attempting to explode dynamite in a place where human lives were endangered. The men were held for trial in $1,500 bail each. It is alleged they were concerned in a plot to dynamite a building in East Twenty-third street.

STEEL CITY DRAWS HEAVILY ON THEM

Gould Railroads Have Great Expenditures to Provide Freight Handling Facilities Here.

DELANO EXPLAINS PROSPECTS

The Pittsburgh Gazette Bureau,
Herald Building, Herald Square,
NEW YORK, March 6.

Careful attention is being given by the Gould interests to the Wabash and the Wheeling & Lake Erie roads, owing to the great need experienced by the two properties for facilities to handle their increasing business and the heavy and valuable Pittsburgh traffic that is in prospect.

It was announced today that the Wabash had sold to the three banking houses of Blair & Co., William Salomon & Co., and William A. Read & Co., $1,647,000 30-year 4 per cent terminal bonds. They will be offered for sale by the bankers at 93½ and interest. These bonds are part of a total issue of $10,000,000 authorized in 1904 for the purpose of acquiring terminal facilities in Chicago, Quincy, Ill., and St. Louis. With the bonds sold today $3,555,000 of the entire amount have been issued.

The annual report of the Wheeling & Lake Erie, made public today, showed that gross earnings increased $270,224, while the heavy increase in the cost of operation and equipment, amounting to $363,826, caused a deficit in net of $26,512. The total income of the road showed a decrease of $163,710. Surplus decreased $133,360.

F. A. Delano, president of the road, in his remarks to stockholders, said:

Your directors have the utmost confidence in the ultimate success of the property. The difficulty, heretofore, has been that the road was too poor to adequately supply itself with equipment, or to make the necessary improvement to take care of the business at hand.

The increased business handled as a result of increased equipment has fully justified the expenditure, but we must go even further in this direction. Since the close of the fiscal year, satisfactory arrangements have been made, with the approval of the stockholders, which have enabled us to improve our passing and side track facilities, and make arrangements for added dock facilities at Huron.

The railroad has not yet began to receive any considerable benefit from the Wabash Pittsburgh terminal, and probably not until the latter part of the present fiscal year will the benefits of the Pittsburgh extension accrue to any large extent, but it is confidently expected that by the summer of 1906 there will be a very material increase in the business from this source.

POLICE CANNOT SAVE HIM.

President of Freshman Class is Kidnaped and Hidden By U. of P. Sophomores.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., March 6.—(Special.)—Perceiving Henry P. Brown, Jr., president of the University of Pennsylvania freshman class, alight from a train at the Pennsylvania's Thirty-second street station today, a party of sophomores made a determined effort to kidnap him.

Brown fled, rushing into the arms of Policeman Ruff. The officer took Brown to Magistrate Boyle's office, where, after being arraigned on the nominal charge of breaking the peace, Brown was released on his own recognizance. When Brown left the courtroom he was in the center of a body of sophs, virtually their prisoner. When last seen he was being hustled into a cab. Freshmen are scouring the town for Brown.

ROYAL BETROTHAL IS TODAY.

King Edward Will Formally Assent to Princess Ena Becoming Fiancee of King Alfonso.

SAN SEBASTIAN, SPAIN, March 6.—King Alfonso and Princess Ena of Battenberg arrived here together today preparatory to the ceremony tomorrow at which the king will formally ask for the hand of the princess and receive the assent of King Edward. The royal party was accorded an enthusiastic welcome. One man called for cheers for liberty and was arrested. King Edward will arrive here tomorrow. The reception of the princess into the Catholic church will precede the betrothal.

PARIS, March 6.—King Edward left here today for Biarritz, whence he will go to San Sebastian to participate in the formalities of King Alfonso's betrothal. He will stay several weeks at Biarritz where Whitelaw Reid, American ambassador to Great Britain, is spending his vacation.

GUN MIGHTIER THAN KNIFE.

Chicago Hotelkeeper, After Trying Four Times to Reach Heart, Blows His Brains Out.

CHICAGO, March 6.—Henry V. Bemis, one of the best known hotel men in the country, and a member of the Chicago board of trade since 1859, killed himself tonight at his residence in Indiana avenue by shooting himself behind the right ear, causing instant death, after four unsuccessful attempts to pierce his heart with a paper knife.

For more than two years he has been in poor health, and this coupled with the loss of considerable money in a business venture, is assigned by his friends as responsible for his suicide.

SUSAN B. ANTHONY IS ILL WITH PNEUMONIA

ROCHESTER, N. Y., March 6.—Susan B. Anthony is seriously ill at her home of pneumonia, which developed on her return from her recent visit to Washington. Her physician said Miss Anthony's left lung is affected, but her right lung has cleared. As the result of nausea last night she became very weak, but rested well this morning. She is still unable to retain nourishment. Miss Anthony resides with her sister, Mary J. Anthony, in a small frame house at 17 Madison street, a home provided for her years ago by devoted friends. She is 86 years old.

Capt. Edwards Is Oil Inspector.

PHILADELPHIA, March 6.—Captain Frank G. Edwards, for several terms a member of the legislature from Bucks county, was today appointed an oil inspector by Mayor Weaver. The place is said to be worth $5,000 a year in fees. Capt. Edwards now lives in Bristol, Bucks county, but will move to this city.

Maxwell Wishes to Go to Peru.

WASHINGTON, March 6.—(Special.)—C. H. Maxwell, former minister to Haiti, and now a negro lawyer practicing in Xenia, O., is an applicant for the position of consul general at Callao, Peru. E. E. E. McJimsey of St. Joseph, Mo., who was appointed to that post a month ago, has declined the position.

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AMERICAN POSITION IS SPECULATED ON

French Anxious for Declaration, No Signs of Break in Deadlock.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

ALGECIRAS, SPAIN, March 6.—Reports are in circulation tonight over further developments in the police question. Austria, it is understood, has prepared a proposition favoring the German view. It is possible that this will not be presented to the conference, the German delegates believing it does not sufficiently support their contention.

Considerable speculation prevails concerning the attitude of the United States. Both the British and the French delegates are inclined to the belief that America will soon break her present silence. The French delegates even suggest that the United States should instruct its delegates to declare openly in favor of the French proposal. Such an event following on the action of the Mediterranean powers yesterday might, the Frenchmen argue, mean the difference between success or failure.

Italy's abstention from definite declaration also causes remark, while Marquis Visconti Venosta's inaction is regarded as based upon a desire not to depart from neutrality in order that Italy may be in a better position from which to endeavor to effect conciliation.

The duke of Orleans, who arrived today from London, conversed at considerable length with Mr. White, the head of the American delegation.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 6.—A special dispatch from Algeciras says that Germany has accepted the Russian proposition that the control of the force for the policing of Morocco be entrusted to France and Spain jointly, as the basis for an agreement.

MOZART CLUB SINGS HAYDN'S "CREATION"

City's Leading Musical Organization Brings Its 28th Season to a Brilliant Close.

Haydn's oratorio, "The Creation," was the work chosen by the Mozart club to end its twenty-eighth season of concerts, and its performance last evening drew a large audience to Pittsburgh Carnegie Music hall. The passage of more than 100 years has not dimmed the beauties of this charming, native oratorio, and the audience last night fully appreciated the tunefulness and simplicity of Papa Haydn's composition.

The singing of the chorus was superior to any of its performances of this season—in some respects the finish attained has not been excelled in several seasons.

The three soloists were drawn from three Presbyterian church choirs of this city, Miss Clark from the Second, Mr. Beddoe from Shadyside, Mr. Clark from the Sixth. It should be added that Mr. Beddoe has just accepted an engagement with St. Bartholomew's famous choir in New York, and will take up his duties there at the first of the coming month. Miss Clark has been heard before at Mozart club concerts, but in no part as well suited to her as the soprano role in "The Creation." Her voice and style are well suited to the composer's requirements, and she proved her familiarity with the music by dispensing with a score throughout the evening.

Mr. Beddoe displayed a voice of beautiful quality, especially telling in the higher registers. Mr. Clark was disturbed by nervousness during the earlier part of the work, but his singing improved as the oratorio progressed. He has a sonorous bass voice of extended range and excellent timbre.

The Pittsburgh orchestra played the accompaniments with more than usual care, and made the most of Haydn's characteristic instrumental effects. The bassoons scored a hit with the unexpected low note at the end of the "menagerie" section, and almost caused consternation in the audience. The parts for the organ were played by John Prichard.

Hit by Train and Alights on Pilot.

Hurled into the air and then alighting on the pilot of an engine, after being struck by a westbound West Penn freight train at Hite station yesterday morning, John Seibwinder was carried 500 feet before rolling off to the side of the track. His skull was fractured and he sustained other injuries, but it is thought he will recover. He is now in the West Penn hospital.

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LARKIN SAYS HE WON'T PAY BILLS

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pany's rate. The mayor also claims that if the city enforced the franchise ordinance it may be compelled to take light under that contract from the Allegheny County Light Company and be prevented from hereafter erecting its own plant and furnishing its own light.

Again, the mayor stated, that the franchise contract merely provides for lamps on streets traversed by the light company's wires, and the city would have no authority to require the company to place wires on streets excepting where they are now strung.

Brand Denounces the Mayor.

William Brand, the author of the resolution, made the only speech on the mayor's veto.

"The mayor goes out of his way to veto this resolution which calls upon the mayor to enforce a law now on the statute books," said Mr. Brand. The mayor strikes every taxpayer of the city in the face. He champions a corporation. He fails to perform his duty as executive of the city's laws. He is a man who has not the moral courage to execute the laws as he finds them. Of all his objections to this resolution the silliest is that the company might raise the price to private consumers."

President Ward stated that the members in favor of the Brand resolution notwithstanding the mayor's veto, should vote aye, and those opposed no. The members voted as follows:

Ayes—Bailey, Barr, Barton, Bergmann, Bockstoce, Bole, Brand, Bright, Connmiller, Dengler, Girdwood, Hammer, Helmold, Johns, Joyce, Milby, O'Brien, Porter, Scott, Semmelrock, Simon, Clinton, Sutherland, President Ward—23 and 2-14.

Noes—Bouhl, Frankel, Hughes, Kalchthaler, Kohne, Lauth, Maslowski, Mathews, Morin, McKelvey, McKnight, McNally, Pfannkuch, Porter, Roenigk, Shenkan, Taylor, Wallace, Walls, Zeuger—20.

One Veto Over-Ridden.

Every one of the mayor's vetoes of the extra items in the appropriation bills was sustained by common council except one, and that was the item of $35,000 for the Thirty-second ward engine house. Through the efforts of T. A. Milby that single item was kept in the bill by a vote of 33½ to 19.

The mayor vetoed all the bathhouse items, aggregating $52,000, also $3,000 for three

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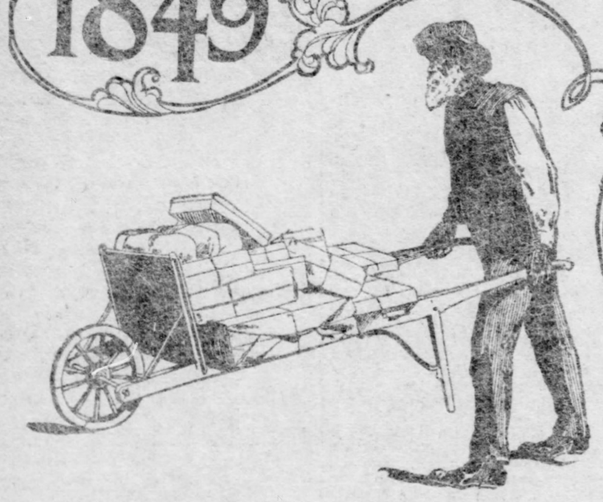

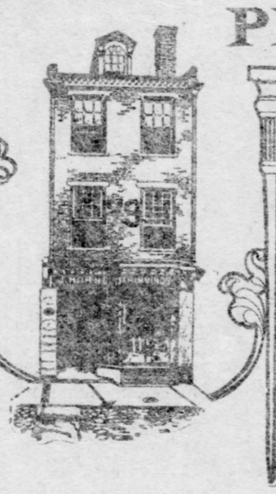

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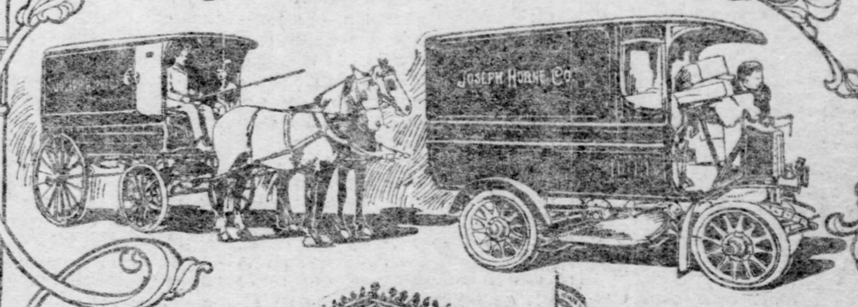

Wednesday, March 7, 1906. Weather—Cloudy.

Which of the 4? 57c.

Orchestra 11:45—2:15.

Consomme,
Broiled Shad, Maitre d'Hotel,
Roast Spring Lamb,
Mint Sauce,
Potatoes, au Gratin,
Lima Beans,
Rolls and Butter,
Pie or Ice Cream,
Coffee.

Spring Vegetable Soup,
Boiled Philadelphia Capon,
Celery Sauce,
Oyster Pattie,
Baked Potatoes,
String Beans,
Rolls and Butter,
Pie or Ice Cream,
Coffee.

Puree of Tomato Soup,
Roast Prime Ribs of Beef,
Mashed Potatoes,
Stewed Tomatoes,
Chicken Croquette with French Peas,
Rolls and Butter,
Pie or Ice Cream,
Coffee.

Scotch Mutton Broth,
Roast Stuffed Turkey,
Cranberry Sauce,
Mashed Potatoes,
Green Peas,
Rolls and Butter,
Pie or Ice Cream,
Coffee.

This Is the Last Day of THE 57 ATTACHMENT

WONDERFULLY elated with the unexampled success attending the celebration of our 57 years in business, we are loath to give up the 57 attachment, but as it was announced for only three days we must abide by the statement. We have been requested to keep on through the week. We courteously acknowledge the suggestion, but must plead the excuse that other things need attention, for instance, that of vast lots of new Spring goods coming in which must be brought to the notice of the great public that patronizes this store. Hence it is that we, with the close of our store this evening at 5:30, also bring to close the 57 quotations. THIS LAST DAY WILL BE THE BIGGEST ONE OF THE THREE. Many fine bargains for consideration. Without more words and as a beginning we point out the favorable underprices on

WOMEN'S SPRING SUITS AND COATS AND WAISTS

$7.57 Shirtwaist Dresses and Gowns From Groups That Were $16.50 to $25.00

A number of stylish, well made Shirtwaist Dresses of china silk, in navy blue and brown, and several very nice dresses of fine white veiling.

$21.57—Value $35.00—Neat Gowns of fine taffeta; pleated waists; pointed yoke of hand embroidered linen and heavy Irish point lace; short sleeves; full pleated skirt. Colors are white, light blue, tan, gray and lavender.

$25.57—were $50.00 to $65.00—the group including a number of pretty gowns in different styles. The materials are veilings, nets and radium silks, in white, tan, navy and blue. Most of these are slightly mussed.

$17.57 For New and Modish Spring Suits That Will Sell Regularly for $25.00

To-day we have 23-inch finely tailored tight-fitting Coat Suits. The material is a fine suiting, the design is a light stripe. The coat is made to button through. The skirt is a four gore circular affair.

We have another style at the same price, a pretty Eton effect. The material is panama, and the colors are black, navy, Alice blue and old rose. The jacket is trimmed with braid. Four gore circular skirt, panel front and back.

$10, $8, $6, $7.50 Separate Skirts, $3.57.

Just 100 of them and they are sample skirts. Panama, mohair, broadcloth, brilliantine. Black, gray, blue and mixtures.

$9.57 For Women's Coats of Various Styles Worth From $16.50 up to $25.00

This is a collection of coats that constitute something extraordinary for the price. Many different styles, including full length raincoats, both in oxford and tan.

Each coat is finely tailored, and there are three-quarter and seven-eighths lengths in loose, half fitting and tight fitting models.

$17.57, Were $30.00 to $45.00.

50 and 52-inch tight fitting Coats of finest black broadcloths and tan covert. Half and full linings of taffeta and satin.

Men's $1.25 Crush Hats, 57c

These are young men's hats, and you'll see lots of young men wearing them this Spring, as well as lots of old chaps — they are simply a neat crush hat that is wearable at any time. Each hat has silk sweat band. The colors are pearl, light brown and black. You will have to go to the second floor, any elevator, and special elevator in Men's store, East.

And in this same department we have some cap bargains for big boys and little boys and little girls.

Boys' New Spring Eton and Golf Caps—all the newest shades of gray—such materials as fine worsted, home spuns, broadcloth and cheviot, regular $1.00 goods, celebration price.....57c

Children's New Spring Tams, silk embroidered crowns, wired top, all the newest shades, made of fine broadcloth, covert and homespun—in the regular retail way $1.00, celebration price.....57c

Fine Down Comforts Much Less

People who enjoy owning something in the shape of an Eiderdown Comfort are requested to follow along and note the prices that will obtain today in our Bedding Department.

$27.50 Down Comforts, each.....$16.57
$20.00 Down Comforts, each.....$13.57
$15.00 Down Comforts, each.....$11.57

In addition to the comforts we intend selling a lot of extra fine Sheets for 57c.

1,200 full Standard Sheets, torn hems—81x90 inches—sheets worth 80c, celebration price.....57c

More News of 57c Dress Goods

Not 57c dress goods, but $1.00 goods for 57c. It's one of the great bargains of the occasion.

57c a yard—regular $1.00 goods—IMPORTED FANCY MOHAIRS. These goods were woven in England from superior luster yarns, thus giving them an unusual brightness. Small and medium size checks. Blue and white, brown and white, red and white, pink and white, green and white, gray and white, tan and white, blue and green plaids—and many other combinations, including stripes, dots and seeded effects—44-inch widths.

57c a yard—regular $1.00 quality—54-inch GRAY SUITING, in very stylish checks, plaids and mixed effects. Light, medium and dark gray, suitable for skirts and full dresses.

57c a yard—regular $1.00 goods—44-inch ENGLISH CREAM MOHAIR, 44-inch ENGLISH CREAM SICILIAN CLOTH, two of the most wanted cream fabrics for Spring gowns.

57c a yard—$1.00 goods—44-inch BLACK ENGLISH TAMISE MOHAIR, a superior high finish.

57c a yard—$1.00 goods—44-inch IMPORTED BLACK BATISTE, plain checks and plaids. Made from finest Australian wool, silky finish.

57c a yard—$1.00 goods—46-inch all-wool BLACK FRENCH SERGE, made of fine imported wool.

57c a yard—$1.00 goods—47-inch all-wool BLACK CORDED STRIPED PANAMA, all-wool black plaid, fine mesh and chiffon weight.

57c a yard—$1.00 quality—44-inch BLACK MOHAIR SHARKSKIN SUITING, 44-inch BLACK MOHAIR ROXANA SUITING, 44-inch BLACK WHIPCORD.

57c a yard—regular $1.00 goods—50-cent BLACK ENGLISH SICILIAN CLOTH, very bright and very lustrous.

57c a yard—regular $1.00 goods—44-inch all-wool CHECKED PANAMA CLOTH, fine mesh, elegant finish. Shades of navy, royal, blue, green, wine, black.

More Fine Silks for 57c

Plenty more besides what are mentioned here—please bear that in mind. We're not asking you in to select from a little dab.

57c a yard—$1.00 grade—PLAIN PONGEE, 27 inches wide — 5 shades of navy, 3 shades of tan.

57c a yard—$1.25 quality—FANCY PONGEE, 27 inches wide—pink, light blue, Alice blue, navy, brown, white, black and reseda grounds, over which are embroidered figures.

57c a yard—$1.00 quality — yard wide COLORED TAFFETA — blue, brown, green and black and green and brown and green combined.

57c a yard—$1.25 quality—WARP PRINT TAFFETA, large variety of styles and equally large variety of colors.

57c a yard—$1.25 quality—TAFFETA, with white grounds over which are black hairline check and embroidered figures.

57c a yard—$1.00 quality—FOULARDS — 24 inches — hairline stripes on colored grounds, with rosebud printings.

57c a yard—$1.00 goods—LOUISINES. These are the changeable weaves and the design is a pretty check.

57c a yard—$1.25 quality—SATIN LIBERTY — 24 inches—printed openwork stripes, together with printed Persian figures.

57c a yard—$1.00 and $1.25 qualities—TAFFETAS and GROS DE LONDRES, in changeable effects, checks and petit designs, 6 styles of black and white, 3 styles of blue and green, 2 styles of helio and white, 4 styles of queen's gray, 3 styles of brown and green.

57c a yard—85c quality — BLACK TAFFETA—yard wide. A first-class black.

Men's Socks, Ties, Handkerchiefs, 57c

Notice, if you please, what the three columns below have to say regarding the reach of 57 cents.

3 Pairs Socks, 57c

These fancy Socks, in nice assortment of patterns. There are all sizes. Kind of socks we sell regularly for 25c.

4-In-Hands, 2 for 57c

In other words, we will hand you out for 57c two Silk Four-in-Hand Neckties from lines that we sell regularly for 50c a tie.

2 Handkerchiefs, 57c

These are fine linen handkerchiefs, with neat initial. They are the kind of handkerchiefs that we sell regularly for 50c apiece.

A 57c Suggestion in Furniture

Now, how do you suppose we can give you anything valuable in furniture for 57c? Well, we are going to, so there is no use discussing that point further. Here are two things that you can buy in the Furniture Department to-day for 57c each:

57c will buy one or as many Kitchen Chairs as you want. They are not the ordinary kitchen chair. They are kitchen chairs that sell regularly for $1.00. They are built strongly. They are worth what they retail for, $1.00, and yet we are going to sell you these chairs, and they are sightly chairs, to-day for 57c. You can take another meaning out of 57c in this case, and read it as meaning hurry.

57c is the price we will sell you to-day some wood ornaments for your table, namely Arts and Crafts Wooden Candlesticks. These are the very thing for the dinner table when you have company. They are of a particularly neat shape, they have a copper candle-holder, they sell regularly for $1.25. Nothing, to our mind, will decorate a table more admirably than a lot of these Arts and Crafts Candlesticks.

$71.50 Brass Bed and Belongings, for $57

The Belongings are Box Spring, Felt Mattress, Eclipse Log Bolster with Two Openings for Pillows, and Muslin Bed Set.

There's an offer, a splendid one, with which to close this last day of our celebration. We dare say no one could go anywhere and get such a complete bedroom outfit for such a little bit of money.

The Brass Bed is a full sized one. The Box Spring is covered with art ticking or plain ticking. The felt mattress is one of our very best, as it must needs be to go along with such a good brass bed. It is covered with same material as box spring. The Eclipse Log Bolster is one of those round affairs now so popular. The colored Bed Set comprises a figured spread and figured bolster sham. The combination was very cheap at $71.50 and when we put it down to $57.00 it is simply sensational.

The bed is worth $35.00, Spring $16.00, Mattress $15.00, Bolster $2.00, Bed Set $3.50.

$5.57 for Handsome Lace and Silk Waists

These waists are from lots that formerly sold for $10.00 and up to $18.00.

Notwithstanding the fact that lace waists are in great demand, and that manufacturers are getting very independent regarding the delivery of them, we have no hesitation in accepting a loss to further the celebration of our 57 years of business.

For the same price we also offer some very handsome numbers in silk waists, in every conceivable style, in every color and its shade.

Spring styles, of course.

Referring to the silk waists under this proposition, it is stated there are white crepe, white china, black, pale blue and pink taffeta, and several high shades.

$4.57

That's the Price of Each for $10 and $7.50 Women's Hats.

Made of new braids, chiffon, maline and odd straw novelties. Different colors. They could not be duplicated anywhere for $7.50, and the price of $4.57 is simply our 57 year memento.

French Flowers—American beauty roses, clusters in pink, gray and all new colors; also roses three in a bunch with foliage—worth from $1.00 to $1.50, tomorrow's celebration price 57c

Beautiful assortment of Wings, Quills and fancy Stick-ups—the wings in black, light blue, green, navy, etc., best quality—all the goods brand new—$1.00 grade—celebration price...57c

Every Hair Ornament we have left, regardless of former price and quality, including small hair wreaths, gold and silver effects, aigrettes, butterflies, etc., will be sold for, each...57c

57c in the Art Needlework Department

This is a department where there are many things gotten up expressly for feminine pastime, and, where again, there are many things that are finished, suitable for all sorts of purposes. For general utility, for ornament, for favors, etc. Of the finished pieces we list two numbers below as hints to many others.

Fancy novelties, suitable for favors or birthday gifts—silk mouchoir cases, fancy pin cushions, beautifully trimmed basket novelties, decorated with ribbon flowers, all from lots that sold for 75c to $2.00, tomorrow 57c

Applique and empire Shams and Scarfs, latest designs in braiding and open work, made of fine quality lawn, finished with scallop or hemstitched edge—from groups that sold for 85c, $1, $1.25, today choice 57c

Colored Silk Petticoats, $3.57

They Are Regular $6 Grades

Whatever else you do, don't accuse us of being niggardly in the matter of generous underprices for goods that have quality back of them. We're not going into any discussion over these fine silk petticoats. All that need be said is that they are tucked, that they have umbrella flounce, that they have silk underlay and that they have dust ruffles.

100-Year-Old Jewelry, 57c An Article

We secured from a collector about 1,500 pieces of old-time jewelry—Brooches, Pins and Pendants—in real tortoise shell, inlaid with solid gold and silver—and a number of pieces are of real hand-carved Whitby jet, and we are going to let you have choice today for 57c.

This is the kind of jewelry worn by our great-grandmothers. Not a piece in the collection worth less than $5.00, and many of them cost as much as $20.00, and not a piece in the entire lot that is not over 100 years old.

We omitted to say that the collector from whom we got these is an Englishman with offices in London.

Christy Pictures, 57c

Christy, you know, is worthy to stand alongside of Gibson, and we don't know but what there are just as many Christy pictures called for as there was formerly those by the man who introduced pen and ink sketches. Today we are going to sell Christy pictures, together with other lots, at 57c, as follows. However, there are other prices besides 57c, which you will fall upon as we proceed.

Christy Pictures, sold the country over for $1.00—dealers are paying more for them than our special quotations — celebration price 57c

To frame these Christy Pictures we make a special offer, to let you choose your materials from several kinds of woods, for 57c

Pictures of Hunting—3 in one frame—the frame ornamented with bit, whip, etc.—$1.00 quality—celebration price.....57c

Etchings in one and one-half inch oak frames—15x30 outside measure—good at the regular price, $1.50—celebration price.....57c

Colored Pictures of Heads, in oval gilt frames—regular price $1.50, celebration price.....57c

Two beautiful Oil Paintings—good value at $100.00—celebration price, each.....$57.00

Fruit Pastels—the very sort of pictures that should grace a dining room—regular $12.00 subjects, celebration price.....$5.57

SPECIAL—First floor, (West), sale tomorrow, near main door, Photo Frames, gold plated, silver plated, oxidized silver, regular price $1.00, $1.25, $1.50, celebration price.....57c

Pyrographic Articles, 57c.

People who have a penchant for burning on wood should get busy, in our celebration we are selling $1.00 articles, stamped for burning, for 57c each.

Among them are Waste Paper Baskets and Dress Boxes, already outlined for running your burning needle over.

And while you are looking around this department of pyrography, Fourth floor, West, you might note the many things we have in the lines of pastime articles, especially the outfits.

Figured Tapestries, 57c.

That's a very low price for a yard of figured tapestry, especially when the stuff is 50 inches wide.

The same kind we retail regularly for $1.00.

The color range is green, red, olive, blue, cream and brown grounds, over which are the contrasting figures.

This department also has these curtains at reduced prices.

$2.50 Lace Curtains for $1.57 a pair.
$4.00 Lace Curtains for $2.57 a pair.
$5.50 Lace Curtains for $3.57 a pair.

Women's Knit Underwear, 57c.

This is only a mere hint of values which we have in this department, second floor, East.

Women's 25c Vests, something very good for the price.....3 for 57c
Women's Lisle Vests, for.....57c

Various Brushes, 57c.

Hair, Cloth and Nail Brushes — kind that sell for $1.00, $1.25 and $1.50—will be out today in the Notion Department for 57c each.

Handsome Dolls, 57c Each.

Fresh and healthy and blooming—kind that sell regularly for $1.00—make the little girl of your family happy and come today and choose one of these beautiful dolls and pay for it only 57c.

Engraved Visiting Cards, 57c.

Don't forget that during this celebration we will give you a new copper plate in English round hand script and name only—for 57c. Our regular price is $1.00.

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Anyone unable to purchase a copy of The Pittsburgh Gazette on trains or at news stands will confer a favor by reporting the same to this office.

Wednesday, March 7, 1906.

There is a pronounced real estate boom in Allegheny, growing out of the Greater Pittsburgh project. Against this the holdbacks on the North Side are fighting by such means as they can command. Long ago The Gazette pointed out the incongruity of real estate values at one end of Sixth street bridge being but one-third as great as at the other. This one thing is ample reason for consolidation, but there are others hardly less convincing.

A vigorous movement has been started for a "Model Washington" by the organizations interested in the improvement of American cities in general. They argue that Washington should be improved on the lines indicated by President Roosevelt and then it will be easier to deal with the evils of other cities, slums, tenements and the like. There is force in the argument and every member of congress should give the subject earnest attention.

Andrew Hamilton is home and he pretends to be ready to face any insurance investigation or prosecution. He will probably have an opportunity to prove his sincerity though criminal prosecutions are not being rushed in the insurance cases. As for the public, it has lost some of its interest in "Judge" Hamilton. It is more concerned in the protection of policy holders than in measures of vengeance against the men who threatened their security, but are now being rendered harmless.

Anthracite coal operators have decided to refuse a reduction in hours of labor and "absolute recognition of the union." The first clause is bluntly clear; the second may mean much, or little. The operators have recognized the union to the extent of meeting its president and committee for conference. That is an absolute recognition. It should be sufficient to satisfy the miners if extended to cover recognition of other committees. This, however, may be the point on which war will be waged.

While one Berlin newspaper charges King Edward of England with trying to bring about war, another declares the course of the Moroccan conference has led to the verge of hostilities. The German press is as sensational as the English press and as highly colored in the interest of diplomatic advantage. As a matter of fact none of the nations directly concerned can afford to go to war for the stake involved, and, freed from diplomatic and newspaper bluffing, the situation would not be dangerous in the least.

While there is not absolute agreement among delegates to the primary and election reform conference in New York, the idea prevails that uniform and direct vote primaries will prove a powerful adjunct to the movement for better government. Republicans in Allegheny county came to this conclusion last year, and the Pennsylvania legislature and Gov. Pennypacker have advanced the work. Pennsylvania is as forward in the work of election reform as any of its sister states—usually a lap or two ahead.

Russian agitators contend no great benefits to the people may be expected from the session of the douma in May. Yesterday's reports confirm predictions the people will evince little interest in choosing their delegates. With only 3 per cent of the population entitled to vote, but one-third of this number has registered. The douma, it is said, will simply organize and then adjourn. Unpromising as this appears, examination of the decree will show a substantial foundation for progress toward freedom. The douma is designed on more liberal lines than the Russian "house of lords."

Much interest and some controversy will be excited by the address of the Rev. Carl A. Foss of the Smithfield Street German Evangelical church, before the congress committee yesterday. Mr. Foss speaks from no motive of personal interest, but from the broad principle that laws should not so hamper personal liberty as to invite violation of them. He is an example of that presonal prohibition of the liquor traffic that is most effective. His plea is not for indulgence, but against sumptuary legislation that makes men hypocrites and lawbreakers in addition to their offending in appetite. The point is well made.

Two Big Questions.

City Controller Larkin has taken important action, this time unquestionably in the interest of the public, by refusing to pay the bills for public lighting because they are in excess of the rate stipulated by the light company's franchise. It is not for us to say whether the controller's stand will be sustained by the courts, if questioned there, but it can be commended as being in the right spirit. It brings the question up squarely and if Mr. Larkin is sustained the mayor's veto of the Brand resolution will be of small consequence, except as an exhibition of the administration trend.

Controller Larkin's attitude toward water meters is not to be commended in its aspect as affecting the public interest. He may have the right in law and if so has done no more than his duty. In that case, or in any case, the law should have been, and should now be made explicit before attempt is made to install meters where they are not wanted. There is a way to make metering compulsory.

There is good reason to believe the city is pumping at least twice as much water as is necessary for all legitimate uses—probably more. Whether the excess is wasted by bad plumbing and negligence on premises of consumers, or is lost from leaky reservoirs we do not know, nor any one else. If the use of meters were general the water bureau could ascertain where the waste is going on and might stop it. Meantime the people are taxed for the water pumped, not for the water used. Metering will put the cost on an equitable, and, we firmly believe, a more economical basis.

More Fear of Strike.

Orders for double the ordinary amount of coal from the Panhandle railroad are somewhat disquieting. They indicate fear of a strike. The request from the local Baltimore & Ohio offices is in the same line and both coincide, whether by design or accident, with the declaration of President Gompers of the Federation of Labor that he is prepared to assist the miners in making a struggle. These things do not make a strike certain, but they are ominous signs.

A meeting of Pittsburgh district operators will be called preliminary to the recalled interstate convention, so the men of Western Pennsylvania may be in accord in the final conference. Operators of other states will hold similar meetings to secure harmony in the several districts. Whether the districts will harmonize with each other will develop in the general convention. At present the prevailing sentiment is against granting any material advance in mining rates or wages.

It is hardly necessary to repeat the caution to miners and operators to be careful in pressing their demands lest disagreement bring hardship to themselves and the public. The whole question, it may be assumed, has been considered and each side has decided for itself what is just. The public, in its capacity of "innocent bystander" can only hope both have approximately the same opinion, so a rupture will not occur. The time is too short for all consumers to lay in reserve supplies of coal, but the summer is coming when domestic fuel will not be needed in great quantities.

Too Busy to Prosecute.

Burglars and sneak thieves continue busy in various sections of the city. The police, never brilliantly efficient at their best, are said to be making unusual efforts to put the lawbreakers where they belong. Yesterday a man was captured whom the police believe responsible for some of the recent robberies. Supposed victims, who were asked to attend the hearing and give testimony, sent word they were too busy to appear. One was engaged with professional, the other with social duties. These they deemed more important than the duty of every good citizen to give information against alleged enemies of society and assist in placing them where they can do no more harm for a while. The result was, the alleged thief was let off with a light sentence. After a brief vacation he will be able to resume. During his holiday he can reflect on the kindness and hospitality of Pittsburghers, and upon his return to active life invite his friends to visit this happy hunting ground.

According to a New York detective of long experience, "a liberal reward and no questions asked" has turned many an amateur thief into a professional. Much the same spirit is displayed by those who are too indolent or busy with other things to give testimony in cases designed for protection of the public. With the present prevalence of crime in the community, this is no time for extending leniency to crooks whom the police happen to catch.

Our Own Game.

Reports from the several towns in the Pittsburgh district which have organized a baseball league of their own for the season of 1906 are said to indicate a "revival" of the national pastime. There had been no signs of the sport falling into disfavor. It has too strong a hold upon the youth of the land, and their fathers and grandfathers as well, to be abandoned for any other form of outdoor competitive sport. It is said, however, that not in many seasons has so much enthusiasm been displayed in baseball circles outside the National league. In a number of towns adjacent to Greater Pittsburgh business men have subscribed liberally to the support of a team which shall represent their community with credit, and this without hope of financial return, for in every case the price of admission has been made merely nominal. The object is to stimulate interest in the typical American game. Discussion as to the respective merits of the several teams as well as the customary challenges and "defis" enliven the columns of country contemporaries. It is evidently going to be a lively season, without reference to the doings of the "big fellows" who represent the principal cities.

Numerous games of strength and skill have been introduced into this country from abroad and have enjoyed their more or less brief term of popularity, but none has ever seriously threatened the supremacy of baseball. It is America's own game. The qualities it demands in the player are those which make for success in the real business of life. Baseball is excellent training for every young man who is sound in body. There is no talk of "reforming" baseball. It is not an adaptation of prize fighting, but a clean, strenuous sport. Without the seal of fashionable approval, it interests all, from millionaire to bootblack. A few weeks more and we shall all be participating in the national game, either as players, spectators or readers of the sporting page.

Stopping the Slaughter.

It is announced the Pennsylvania railroad has completed plans for the abolition of every road and street crossing at grade on the Pittsburgh division. This is news of great importance. A tabulation of deaths and injuries at these danger spots during the past 10 years would look like the casualty account of the Manchurian campaign. For the maintenance of the death traps up to the present time the railroad company is no more responsible than local authorities—in many cases, in fact, the chief burden is on the local authorities. The railroad is assuming the whole burden of making changes because its rapidly increasing business cannot tolerate detention from such causes.

With the abolition of grade crossings being voluntarily accomplished the state should no longer neglect its duty to make it a misdemeanor for any person to trespass on railroad tracks. A fine, certain to be imposed, for this offense will be a more powerful deterrent than the vague danger inherent in the practice. Hundreds of lives are snuffed out annually in this state because people persist in walking on railroad tracks where they have no business. This folly should be penalized by the next legislature.

New Castle's condemned murderer objects to the death watch because it interferes with his sound, refreshing sleep. A guilty conscience doesn't always cause insomnia.

Germans now accuse King Edward of trying to provoke war between their country and France. The French believe Germany, herself, has been rather provoking.

Statistics show the prison population of the Empire state has decreased during the past year. This is not equivalent to saying crime has decreased.

The London author who proposes to write a book on America, in denunciation of the "evils of wealth," doubtless expects to make his fortune out of it.

Athens invites the athletes of every nation to her Olympic games. Here is a practical way for France and Germany to settle their differences.

New York editors who have been denouncing the Russian dynamiters may now drop their telescopes and direct their attention nearer home.

Now Baltimore is talking of holding an exposition. The country would be glad of a few years' vacation from big shows.

A Chicago newspaper invites suggestions for the prevention of freak legislation. One way is not to elect freak legislators.

It must be admitted the girls at the Carnegie Technical school have chosen an effective college scream.

Now a European robber chief is to visit us. Turn about is fair play.

Yesterday's forecast of the European weather bureau was for storms.

J. Pierpont Morgan will receive several European kings in audience.

Not This Year.

The editors of southwest Missouri have been holding a meeting and resolving to have the capital of the United States removed to Aurora, or somewhere in that neighborhood, wherever it is. We understand it is central to something; that it has no malaria, dyspepsia or mumps to make statesmen sour and quarrelsome; that it is out of the reach of shells from any foreign navy; that no invading army could get to it and burn a capitol located there; that bear and mountain lion and other easy marks for the true sportsman roam about the vicinity, and altogether Aurora, wherever it is, seems to be quite a place even without the capitol. With the capitol, it would at once become the center of all things. When are we going to move to Aurora?—Philadelphia Press.

An Unknown Quantity.

While China's military power is not a factor to cause any apprehension as to the outcome of a struggle, it is to a certain extent an unknown quantity. German and Japanese officers have been training the Chinese army, and it is partly equipped with modern weapons.—Cleveland Leader.

NEMESIS.

He was a youth of manly form,
Of rarely handsome looks;
A connoisseur of every art,
A student deep of books.
His character was of the best.
He spoke with winning grace;
But one thing marred his perfect youth—
He trumped his partner's ace.

From euchre club to euchre club
He passed, a branded man,
While whispers ran from lip to lip,
"Just drop him if you can."
Trust grafters and insurance men
May still find some slight grace,
But none has pity for the man
Who trumps his partner's ace.

His beauty won a fair young girl;
She vowed to be his wife.
And bliss he never dreamed before
Poured radiant o'er his life.
Until one fatal game they played,
Which saw his hopes o'erthrown;
With rage she cried, "Just keep your hand,
I'll go it, sir, alone!"

But still his suicidal game
He played—as who will not?
Until one day he met a man
Of temper rather hot.
And now upon a marble stone
His history and you trace:
"Here lies John Smith, aged —
He trumped his partner's ace."

—Baltimore American.

The World's a Stage and We the Players

Gossip of Men and Things on Both Sides of the Gleaming Footlights.

By Charles M. Bregg.

Because of absence from my desk on account of illness the following letter, along with several others, has remained too long unanswered. A correspondent at Braddock writes:

"Will you kindly decide an argument as to whether Francis Wilson ever appeared in the same company with Joseph Jefferson. A argues that Wilson appeared in the all-star company playing 'The Rivals,' while B says he did not. Which is right? Thanking you in advance, I beg to remain. "Yours very truly,

"S. HOLLANDER."

A is right. In the all-star cast that toured the country 10 years ago this spring in "The Rivals," Mr. Wilson played David to Joe Jefferson's Bob Acres. If my correspondent desires to read something of that remarkable tour in the way of personal reminiscence and anecdote he will find a capital article from Mr. Wilson's pen, with excellent photographs, in the current number of Scribner's magazine.

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The tour was remarkable in that it was the first of the "all-star" revivals of recent years and had its inception in an accidental way. Quoting Mr. Wilson's article above referred to, it is said that the tour was conceived on the heels of a very successful benefit given at the Fifth Avenue theater, New York, arranged by Joseph Jefferson in aid of his old friend and fellow actor, the veteran C. W. Couldock. Older theatergoers will recall the name of Couldock with pleasant associations. He was one of the really great actors of 50 years. Mr. Couldock has since died. In the cast at this benefit performance of the Sheridan comedy were many distinguished players, including Mr. Jefferson. The success of the one performance and the interest the people seemed to take suggested a revival of the comedy with an "all-star cast." This title has grown common since that time and more or less unreliable, but the cast of "The Rivals" that made a tour of the country in the spring of 1896, one year after the benefit that gave rise to it, was truly and honestly "all-star." I will, for the information of my correspondent and the readers of this department, republish from Scribner's a fac simile cast of characters of the play as nearly as possible.

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THE RIVALS

A COMEDY IN THREE ACTS.
BY RICHARD BRINSLEY SHERIDAN.
UNDER THE MANAGEMENT OF
C. B. JEFFERSON AND JOSEPH BROOKS.
CAST OF CHARACTERS.

Sir Anthony Absolute.....William H. Crane
Captain Absolute.....Robert Taber
Faikland.....Joseph Holland
Acres.....Joseph Jefferson
Sir Lucius O'Trigger.....Nat C. Goodwin
Fag.....E. M. Holland
David.....Francis Wilson
Mrs. Malaprop.....Mrs. John Drew
Lydia Languish.....Julia Marlowe Taber
Lucy.....Fannie Rice

SYNOPSIS OF SCENES.

ACT I.—Scene 1—Mrs. Malaprop's Reception Room. Scene 2—Captain Absolute's Bachelor Apartments.

ACT II.—Scene 1—North Parade at Bath, showing Bath Abbey. Scene 2—Mrs. Malaprop's Reception Room. Scene 3—Apartments of Bob Acres.

ACT III.—Scene 1—Mrs. Malaprop's Apartments. Scene 2—Hallway in Mrs. Malaprop's House. Scene 3—King's Meades Fields, showing the City of Bath and Cathedral in the distance. (The celebrated Dueling grounds).

Scenery by Walter Burridge. Construction by C. L. Hagen. Costumes by Herman.

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The tour began at Springfield, Mass., on May 4, 1896, and ended on the night of May 30 in New York. Pittsburgh was included in the itinerary, the company giving one performance here on the night of May 11 at the Alvin theater. Other cities visited on this tour were Hartford, New Haven, Brooklyn, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington, Louisville, Cincinnati, St. Louis, Cleveland, Columbus, Toledo, Indianapolis, Milwaukee, Grand Rapids, Chicago, Buffalo, Rochester, Syracuse, Utica, Albany, Boston and Worcester, Mass. There are some peculiarities about the booking of this route that will strike the average man acquainted with the booking business. Mr. Jefferson, I presume, engineered most of the enterprise, as one of his sons, Charlie, was co-manager, so I imagine the distribution of "time" was made largely on the old gentleman's idea of financial and artistic appreciation. It is a little surprising that New York got only a matinee, the night performance of that day going to Brooklyn, though if I understand the itinerary rightly, New York got the closing night performance of the tour. Cincinnati got two performances, Chicago receiving three, two night and a matinee. St. Louis also got two night performances. Philadelphia only received one performance. It was here I saw the play, and I well remember the immense and enthusiastic audience that crowded into the big Academy of Music of that city, though the acoustic properties of the auditorium were wholly inadequate for a dramatic performance.

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It is interesting to examine what 10 years of time have done with this famous cast of players. Of that company death has claimed three. Mrs. John Drew, grand old woman of the stage and of her times, went first. Then death came to Joseph Jefferson, and the final curtain fell upon the busy life of one of the greatest actors of the American stage. The last to go was one of the youngest and strongest, apparently of that happy group. Robert Taber died in New York a year or more ago from tuberculosis, after having spent several of the latter years of his life in England. Mr. Taber was one of the handsomest leading men of his times. He married Julia Marlowe, but the marriage though beginning with great joy, turned out to be an unhappy one, and the couple separated.

Of the living members of the cast Crane is still active and starring this year in "The American Lord." Julia Marlowe was only a week ago in Pittsburgh as the heroine of Shakespearean plays. Mr. Wilson has finally established himself in straight comedy and is now starring in "The Mountain Climber." E. M. Holland is with Kyrle Bellew; Joseph his brother, has, I believe, retired from the stage on account of an affliction. N. C. Goodwin is in London, playing repertoire. Fanny Rice is still living but I do not believe she is acting, except in special performances.

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It may prove interesting as a round-up of this long drawn out answer to a brief question to quote from the Scribner story the somewhat astonishing fact, brought out in one of Mr. Wilson's reminiscences, that nearly every man in that company made his start with minstrelsy. The information is given in one of the many conversations that Mr. Wilson relates of the tour, when traveling in Pullman cars, where they ate, slept and had social gatherings, the company was thrown together constantly when not at the theater. Jefferson remarked one day that he believed he was one of the first men to appear in black face after the appearance and success of "Jim Crow" (T. D. Rice).

"I suppose," said Mrs. Drew, "there are very few men in this company who have not at one time or another been associated with minstrel performances."

"I played 'Brudder Bones,'" said Mr. Jefferson.

"Everybody knows I was in the minstrel business," Goodwin explained. "Yes," I remarked, "because we were there together. "Well," joined in Crane, "I was on the tambourine end with Campbell's minstrels."

I remember telling this at Lawrence Barret's house, at Cohasset, where the rest of the party consisted of Edwin Booth and Stuart Robson. Booth then told how he and J. S. Clarke were minstrels in their younger days, and he followed this up by declaring that he used to "pick a little on the banjo." I laughed, and Booth inquired the reason, and I added, "Oh, nothing much, only Booth and the banjo seemed such an odd combination."

The writer of the article doesn't say so, but everybody knows Francis Wilson made his professional debut as a song and dance artist in a minstrel show.

"TO HELL AND BACK."

Correspondents Take Issue With Pastor Russell and His Conclusions.

To the Editor of The Gazette:

I have read carefully the sermon of Pastor C. T. Russell on "To Hell and Back," in Monday's issue of your paper, but I cannot indorse its intentions.

The pastor endeavors to have the words "hell," "sheol" and "hades" mean simply the "grave" as used in Bible passages. Is not the learned speaker aware that there are, for instance, thousands of words in the English language that have various synonyms with various meanings, which meanings are only determined by the tenor or import of the sentences in which they are used? Can this not also be said of the Greek and Hebrew language?

If there is no hell (a place of torment) then why did Christ say that on the day of judgment there would be "weeping and wailing and gnashing of teeth?"

"If there is no hell, then Christ died in vain."

"If there is no hell, why trouble ourselves about leading righteous lives?"

God (who is represented as infinitely just) must, in order to sustain this representation, punish the wicked as well as reward the righteous. Otherwise, God would be a negative spirit and there would be no eternal equation of justice.

Will the able pastor in his next discourse kindly dilate on the utterances which I have penned here, and if he successfully refutes them he will accomplish more than he did in all his explanations of "sheol," "hades," "hell," etc., on Sunday evening?

THOMAS W. PRICE.

Indiana, Pa., March 6, 1906.

Mr. Russell Corrected.

To the Editor of The Gazette:

I hesitate to notice the pompous and self-satisfied statements of Pastor Russell on his theme "To Hell and Back," and do so now only for the sake of those who never have read the New Testament.

Were everybody readers of the New Testament, or as well instructed in it as the boys and girls in our Sunday schools, Mr. Russell's discourse last Sunday would reveal him to them as a great ignoramus, or one attempting willfully to deceive by juggling with words and suppressing the truth.

The meaning of the words "sheol" and "hades" have nothing to do with finally settling the great question of future and eternal punishment. Jesus Christ declared the doctrine of eternal punishment most plainly, at great length, in the most vehement manner, and enforced it by parables in so many different forms of teaching that the fool, though a wayfaring man, need not err therein.

Why is it that Mr. Russell passes over all the real authority in the word of God for eternal punishment in his puerile attempt to deceive the ignorant?

Is he moved by the Satanic instinct to destroy men's souls rather than save them? Read but one Gospel of the New Testament and you will find Mr. Russell's assertions as to eternal punishment are baseless. WHOLE TRUTH.

Made Fast Enough.

Spelling reform fanatics have again appeared. The National Education association at Louisville has decreed that a number of common words should be spelled phonetically in future. The work of this active body is not necessary to confuse the rising generation. The methods taught in the common schools at the present time are making bad spellers fast enough.—Scranton Tribune.

Will Have to Discard Gloves.

Speaker Cannon receives his South Carolina home-made gloves at the wrong time, though of course the present is much appreciated. But the day is approaching when he must handle things without gloves. The senate is beginning to pick house bills to pieces, and when the conferees meet and report the house will need to be firm for its own. Mr. Cannon does not lack for experience of this kind, and he usually expects a scrap with the senate. Well clad will he be for such an engagement in his jeans suit, his wool hat, and old-style galluses, but he would do well to leave the gloves at home and go for the opposition barehanded. He fights in the open and according to the old rules, and too many togs would interfere with his freedom of movement. In both attack and defense he needs to be very much alive in meeting with such an antagonist as the senate.—Washington Star.

Pittsburghers in New York.

NEW YORK, March 6.—(Special.)—The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels:

Waldorf-Astoria—J. C. Chapin, J. W. Brainard, M. B. Cochran, A. W. Bell, G. A. Wood.

Herald Square—T. A. Neely, P. B. Eyler, Mrs. Eyler.

Albemarle—R. H. Cummings.

Normandie—T. Williams, Mrs. Williams.

Vendome—R. R. Fisher, J. Dunn.

Hotel Astor—W. T. Sommers, R. E. Clemson, A. L. Banker.

Manhattan—G. C. Harwood, H. A. Kuhn, D. W. Kuhn, J. Warner, J. H. Reed.

Martha Washington—Mrs. D. W. Patten.

Astor House—A. Schussler, W. F. McCarthy.

Savoy—M. Saller.

Cadillac—M. S. Bunker.

Broadway Central—M. I. Amursky, B. Amursky, J. Weisberg.

Everett—G. Green.

Belvedere—L. Finegold.

Victoria—W. J. Young.

Earlington—Mrs. J. G. Hinds, Miss Hinds, J. G. Hinds.

Breslin—C. B. Knight, Mrs. M. Anderson, Miss S. Anderson.

Holland—C. G. Zug, G. Megrew, A. M. Neeper, J. H. Beal.

Grand—F. L. Gullett, F. C. Waddell, Miss Wells, W. P. Pollard.

Imperial—C. O. Johnson, Miss S. D. Kenney, Miss A. G. Kenney.

IN GOOD HUMOR.

"Don't you think Ethel's complexion has greatly improved since she took up physical culture?"

"Yes. I understand she has changed drug stores."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

"Look pleasant, please," said the photographer to his (more or less) fair sitter. "Click!" It's all over, ma'am. You may resume your natural expression."—Cleveland Leader.

Theriat—I don't believe in the man seeking the office. I believe that the office should seek the man!"

Old Policeman—Did you ever try to get a job on those lines?"—Detroit Free Press.

Tess—He insisted upon kissing me good night when he left.

Jess—The idea! Wasn't that odd?

Tess—I don't know whether it was odd or even. I didn't keep count.—Philadelphia Press.

"When a man axes you foh advice," said Uncle Eben, "it generally don' mean nuffin' exceptin' dat he's kind o' lonesome an' wants to be talked to."—Washington Star.

Fair Customer—Have you any good butter?

Dairyman—Certainly, madam. My reputation rests upon my butter."

Fair Customer—If the last I got of you was a fair sample, your reputation certainly rests on a strong foundation."—Chicago News.

Quiet Observations on Ways of the World

A Tale of the Fine Loidy and Smart Dawggie.

By ERASMUS WILSON.

It is the smart thing here for ladies to have dogs attached to them with silver, burnished steel, or gold plate chains.

Just now the Boston pug is in high favor, but any sort of dog is better than no dog at all. Fox terriers are most admired by men, but they are so prone to get lost that only those with a well defined homing sense are sought as street pets.

My loidy, however, wants her doggie on a string, and for that reason you find a good many fox terriers on the avenue, which tends to make it quite lively during dog hours.

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For some unaccountable reason fox terriers have it in for Boston pugs, and these spunky little bob-tails allow no brindle bob-nosed poodle to pass without a scrap, and a fox terrier on the end of a chain is about as troublesome to handle as a tarpon on the end of a line.

It is not uncommon to see a loidy with a dawggie meet another loidy with a dawggie. The loidies may not know each other, nor want to, but the dawggies are most anxious to meet and to caress each other in dog fashion, and for a minute or so there is a circus on the sidewalk, during which there is a deal of growling and snarling, pulling and hauling, cracking of whips and snapping of eyes.

These meets occasionally ends in regular dog fights and sometimes in lady scraps, much to the amusement of the crowds, and to the worryment of the police.

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The loidy complains regularly, and more or less bitterly, because dawggie is not allowed in the park—either foot loose or on a chain. From this it is inferred that the park commission looks upon babies as being superior to dogs, which me loidy holds to be "puffectly ridic-lous."

Of course dawggies is allowed to take a park airing in a carriage, automobile, or any smart trap, provided it is accompanied by me loidy, or a maid, or a man.

And you may see smart traps on the park drives whose sole occupants are dawggies and servants in pinafore or livery.

It will be tolerable safe to bet that there are no babies at the houses where these stay.

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Dog tailoring has become quite a profitable branch of trade, and just now the rivalry between a couple of extensive establishments is sharp, if not hot.

Another dealer in dog apparel, such as house garbs, trousseaus, outing and dress suits, overcoats, neckwear, overshoes, raincoats, etc., is advertising the latest London and Paris spring styles for smart dawggies.

You may not think it, but a highly self-respecting dog will not wear handme-down clothing. Not on your life. It must be made to measure, and fitted, the same as me loidy's frocks.

Among the other odd occupations common in this city is that of dog caretaker. It is followed by both men and women, and to judge from their dress and general appearance, it is a lucrative calling.

Each caretaker can groom, feed and exercise several families of dogs, having certain fixed hours for Tom's, Dick's and Harry's.

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Then there are dog doctors in ordinary and extraordinary, dog painters, photographers, barbers, dentists, massagers, trainers, companions, etc., ad lib.

So far there are no dog restaurants, but there are dog butchers and bakers, which suggests the possible establishment of dog cafes where the more fastidious may lunch, dine, or sup in as fine style as their fashionable owners.

Such inhumanity, however, might not, and ought not be allowed. Because human beings bring all sorts of distress and suffering upon themselves, and even invite early death, it does not follow that some animals should be compelled, or even encouraged, to do likewise.

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Fashionable dogs would not object to petit soupers served at midnight or after, but no sensible person would submit their pets to anything so unhygenic. But it may come to this, for the petit souper (little supper) is becoming all the rage.

This affair comes off after the opera, the theater, the club, or what not, and so popular has it become that nearly every one of the 200 fashionable cafes are as crowded at this time as at the dinner hour.

Louis Sherry, the famous restaurateur, says that not less than $50,000, and probably considerably more, is spent nightly for these suppers. On special occasions more than double this sum is invested in these dainty bites, for that is what they are, but they are more the less expensive because they are small and dainty.

Four dollars and up for two is about the way the schedule of prices runs. Snails, crawfish, bone marrow, and such like dainties, figure prominently on the bills of fare.

New York, March 5, 1906.

CASUAL GLIMPSES AROUND THE CITY

Notes About People and Events in Which Pittsburghers Are Interested.

The attitude of the typical railroad man toward the 2-cent mileage agitation was expressed last night by A. C. Ambrose, who is connected with the passenger department of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railroad. Mr. Ambrose halted at Union station for an hour on his way from New York to Chicago.

"There is a mistaken idea that the railroads are going to fight tooth and nail against the numberless 2-cent mileage bills that will soon be introduced and undoubtedly passed in all the legislatures of the middle west, even in Ohio. While the railroads will naturally exhaust every legal means in fighting these measures, my personal opinion is that their fight will be by no means a frantic one.

"It is the general opinion that the railroads will accept the inevitable and maintain profits by 'cutting out' the innumerable petty grafts and privileges that have grown like parasites on the systems. Following a recent example, passes and franking privileges will be also gradually eliminated, special excursion rates will not be so liberal, and in other ways the companies will maintain a proper equilibrium.

"There has been considerable suppressed excitement among railroad employes, particularly trainmen, which grew out of the rumor that with the cutting off of the company's profits, wages would also hit the toboggan slide. I think this fear is entirely groundless. The railroad systems will not attempt to cut down salaries while so many other expenses can be eliminated and the proper profits maintained without undue friction."

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Lumbermen Are Ambitious.

About 40 Pittsburgh lumbermen boarded a special car at Union station yesterday, en route to the convention of the National Association of Lumbermen, which opens in Washington today. Questions of traffic and of railroad rates, which have become of paramount importance in the past season, will be discussed and a plan of concerted action settled upon.

"The Pittsburgh delegation is going down there to whoop things up in the manner that our increasing trade demands," was the way one of the local delegates expressed himself. "J. M. Hastings of Pittsburgh is now vice president of the association, but the boom that we'll launch will land him as president and we'll probably carry off another office. You know, the promise of Greater Pittsburgh is making our own citizens decidedly imperialistic in all branches of trade."

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A Sign of Pittsburgh's Prosperity.

"Pittsburgh is proportionately the best city in the world for the sale of cut glass," declared L. J. Rockwell at Newell's hotel last night. Mr. Rockwell is the head of an importing house of Meridan, Conn.

"Inasmuch as cut glass, like diamonds, is a luxury that plainly indicates the prosperity of a people, this town must be filled with the best 'spenders' on earth. Hundreds of thousands of dollars are exchanged here annually for the scintillating crystal glass of European and American cutting.

"In this connection this country can flatter itself that the word 'imported' does not indicate superiority. On the contrary, American cut glass sells at a much higher figure than the foreign product. I have just returned from Europe, where I spent my time in Belgium buying on the market and looking over the output of the factories we control there. It may be news to know that American manufacturers control dozens of glass factories in that bustling little country. Bohemia is the center of the ornamental glass industry.

"It may be a trifle impolite to say so, but the chief virtue of cut glass, like that of diamonds, outside of the beauty of design and workmanship, lies wholly in its cost. European manufacturers usually cut glass that has been already molded, while American designs are sculptured from the blank glass into glittering beauty. Therefore I repeat that America now leads the world in cut glass, and Pittsburgh easily leads in proportionate sales."

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Maple Sugar Scarce.

"Those with 'sweet tooths' will probably grieve over the fact that the maple sugar crop in Ohio, and particularly the region surrounding Ravenna, is doomed unless we have moisture in the next few days," said N. E. Hirshberg of Cleveland in the lobby of the Hotel Henry. "Pennsylvania manufacturers of that old-fashioned delicacy, maple sugar—those who scorn the glucose concoction—are complaining of the same drought. So dry has been the winter that the sap in the maples rises very slow and thin."

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Makes Brief Stay in Allegheny.

Mayor-elect Charles F. Kirschler of Allegheny returned yesterday from Cambridge Springs, where he had been resting for a week. During the day he spent some time in the office of City Treasurer R. M. Kopp, where he conferred with a number of politicians. Mr. Kirschler left last night for Atlantic City, where he will remain for some time beyond the reach of the job-hunter.

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Local Danes Organize.

The Danish society of Pittsburgh was organized at the conclusion of a banquet held last night in the Hotel Lincoln, in which 20 of the prominent Danes of this city participated. Former residents of Denmark are not numerous in this vicinity, there being only 35 in Pittsburgh. The society, which is organized for the purpose of fostering the racial spirit and keeping alive the language and literature of Denmark, will include about 50 members recruited from neighboring towns. K. Jakabensen was elected president, H. Kock vice president and secretary, and H. Kruse, treasurer.

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W. and J. Men to Banquet.

All Washington and Jefferson college men are invited to a banquet at the Union club on Friday evening at 7 o'clock. Preparations are made for 250 men, the Pittsburgh Alumni association being a large one and quite active. Judge S. A. McClung, president of the association, will act as toastmaster. Several toasts have been provided for, among whom is F. A. Pickarski, the famous football coach. President Moffat is also on the list.

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Among the Travelers.

J. V. Thompson, the Uniontown banker who was registered at the Monongahela, returned home last night on an evening train.

Hiram J. Sedwick, a member of the state legislature from West Monterey, is at the Boyer.

A special train of four cars bearing 100 local Masons, left at 5:30 yesterday evening for Lisbon, O., to attend a Masonic celebration in that town.

J. P. Dewault, interested in the oil fields of Casey, Ill., and surrounding territory, is at the Newell. He reports that the oil fields which proved such a disappointment when opened up a year ago, now shows a remarkable yield.

Returning students of Yale, Harvard, Pennsylvania, Princeton and college girls from Bryn Mawr, Vassar, Barnard to the number of 250, descended on the dining-room at Union station yesterday. They were en route to eastern points from Knoxville, Tenn., where the students' volunteer convention just closed. The movement aims to furnish missionaries for foreign fields and 4,188 delegates attended, representing over 700 educational institutions.

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Arrivals at the Hotels.

Newell—Samuel T. Burke, Erie; H. A. Greene, Wheeling, W. Va.; T. M. Braughler, Johnstown.

Antler—S. A. D. Morrison, East Brady; T. S. McCoy, Washington; Samuel Redic, Butler; J. B. Eakin, C. L. Bishop, Youngstown; Max Rabinovitz, Marietta; F. J. Colgan, Painesville; James Craig, New Kensington; F. F. Wagner, Johnstown.

Duquesne—A. T. Adamson, H. M. Adamson, Waynesburg; W. C. Cramer, Johnstown.

Henry—O. Grenner, Erie; S. W. Shrader, Grafton, W. Va.; Joseph P. Cleal, Toronto, O.; A. C. Morse, Shelby, O.; W. Lape, Mansfield, O.; J. B. Hayward, Dayton, O.; H. B. Lutz, Lancaster; Joseph P. Clark, Toronto, O.; C. H. Selby, H. S. Sisson, H. R. Stewart, Smithfield; J. C. White, E. White, Morgantown, W. Va.; C. H. Lope, Manafeld, O.; E. S. Easton, Mannington, W. Va.

Fort Pitt—W. J. Crutchen, Holden, W. Va.; Ernest McCay, Fairmont, W. Va.; R. E. Kent, Waynesburg; Henry D. Clarke, Scranton; A. P. Oxtoby, Wheeling, W. Va.; George Ormond, Allentown; J. S. Cooper, Parker; George N. Crandall, Williamsport; S. M. Irwin, Sharon; H. Bowman Weaver, Clearfield; George Wild, Johnstown; C. C. Chase, New Castle; James A. MacDonald, Apollo; S. C. Taddis, Jefferson; John P. Morris, Youngstown; James Wakeman, Toledo, O.; C. A. Kline, Ridgway.

Boyer—J. H. Zimmerman, Greenville; W. C. Shull, Shippenville; George W. Wise, Wooster, O.; L. D. Corry, Connéautville; S. M. Houston, Glen Campbell; Frank Porter, Steubenville; C. H. Welch, Grove City; M. Heckman, Eldertown; J. W. Milligan, Bradford; R. E. Frankhousen, South Sharon.

Colonial—C. J. Crawford, Harrisburg; H. J. Gradwohl, Johnstown; H. C. Harrison, Connellsville.

Lincoln—R. T. Norton, Brookville; T. J. Stringer, Raymond, O.; John C. Carland, Toledo, O.

Anderson—W. H. Simpson, Youngstown, D. Kendall, Alliance, O.; E. L. Davidson, Parkersburg, W. Va.

Seventh Avenue—H. F. Specke, Freedom; J. C. Frederick, Salem, O.; W. R. Hawkins, Waynesburg; D. T. English, Franklin; E. S. Warner, Ste

BIG STEEL DEAL STILL A MYSTERY

Reasons Are Given Why Consolidation of Companies Is Necessary.

ORE DEAL PROVES THE PIVOT

No official denial or confirmation was made yesterday of the announcement in The Gazette that the United States Steel Corporation interests were concluding negotiations for taking over nearly all the important independent iron and steel interests and ore lands in the country, and that John W. Gates' recent acquisitions were being made for no other purpose.

Local bankers and financiers, directly and indirectly identified with Steel Corporation interests, gave the report considerable credence.

An official in one of Pittsburgh's largest and most conservative financial institutions, and one which is closely allied with Steel Corporation interests, stated he believed the acquisition of the Great Northern ore lands by the Steel Corporation would not be practical unless the properties of the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company and Tennessee Coal and Iron Company were also acquired.

The terms of the proposed Great Northern deal will bind the Steel Corporation to mine 10,000,000 tons of ore annually at a fixed price and at a fixed cost of transportation. Permitting these other two great ore-holding companies to market their product at will among the independents, it was pointed out, would be a menace to the Steel Corporation. Heretofore the Steel Corporation has entered the market at will and bought what pig iron it required above its own production and has been in a position to influence prices on ore because of its power as a purchasing agent.

Once out of the purchasing field, the Tennessee and Colorado companies' ore would find a more limited and weaker market among the independents, with every probability of marked declines in ore prices. Cheaper ore means cheaper steep, and further competition would be faced with the Steel Corporation mining the Great Northern fields at a contract price which is to increase 5 cents a ton in price for 15 years.

It is for these reasons local financiers do not believe the Great Northern deal will go through unless the whole plan is carried out and all the individual deals are hanging fire until every detail is complete for the great merger.

FRAMING SOMETHING FOR THE MIDSHIPMEN

ANNAPOLIS, MD., March 6.—Under a change in the regulations governing midshipmen's uniforms, service stripes will hereafter be worn, one for each year, except the first. One of the advantages expected to result from the wearing of these stripes is the greater ease with which midshipmen breaking regulations may be identified.

NEW STEEL CAR DUMPS 60 TONS IN SIX SECONDS

Officials from 10 Railroads Witness Successful Test of the Model Coal Carrier.

In a test which was witnessed by 25 railroad officials, representing 10 of the largest railroads in the country, the Pressed Steel Car Company yesterday demonstrated a new steel coal gondola that emptied 60 tons of coal in six seconds. The test was made at McKeesport near the National Tube works, on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad.

The car, which was invented by Charles A. Lindstrom of this city, is 40x8½ feet, and is so constructed as to permit the whole bottom of the car to drop at an angle by the control of a single lever. The latest style gondola now in use is provided with a hopper in the center of the car, and considerable shoveling is usually necessary to completely empty the car. This process, aside from the labor necessary, requires from one to five minutes. It was said yesterday that a whole train of cars could have been unloaded in the six seconds which were required to unload the test car yesterday. Labor-saving, however, is the most important factor claimed for the new car.

The test was considered a success by the visiting railroad officials, though the officials of the Pressed Steel Car Company declared that even faster time had been made in private trials. Among railroads represented at the test were the Baltimore & Ohio, Pennsylvania, Reading, Delaware & Hudson, Reading, Lehigh Valley, Chesapeake & Ohio and Lackawana & Western.

Ordinances Are Approved.

The commissioners on public works of Allegheny councils last night ordered printed three ordinances: Authorizing the construction of a 24-inch wrought iron water main over the North avenue bridge over the Ft. Wayne railroad tracks; public sewer on Marshall avenue; grading, paving and curbing of Cottage street; advertising for a five-ton steam asphalt roller.

Mother of Walter Q. Gresham Dies.

CORYDON, IND., March 6.—Mrs. Sarah Rumbly, mother of the late Walter Q. Gresham, former secretary of state, died today at her home nar Lanesville. She was 98 years old, had been married twice, and was the mother of eight children.

"Dream City's" Handsome Booklet.

A handsome booklet describing "Dream City," the new pleasure park being built along the Verona road, has just been issued by the management. The booklet describes all the pleasure devices including the chutes, roller coaster, monster dancing pavilion, restaurant and numerous shows, as well as the picnic grove. The publication is a work of art and worthy of retention as a souvenir.

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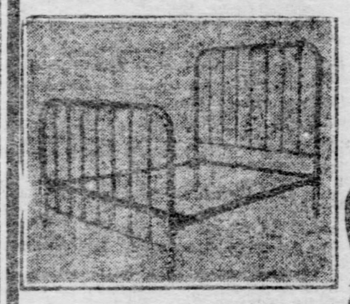

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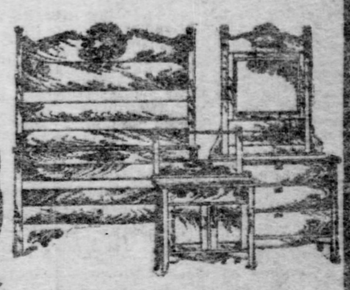

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Anglo Wiltons.....$65.00
Royal Wiltons.....$45.00
Best Body Brussels.....$35.00
Size 9x12.
French and Anglo Wiltons.....$50.00
Seamless Axminster.....$50.00
Anglo Turkish.....$50.00
Dutch Mission Rugs.....$29.50
Royal Wiltons.....$32.50
Best Body Brussels.....$26.50
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Cleveland "Flyer".....	*7:15 am	*6:20 pm
Cleveland & Youngstown Ex.	*8:15 am	*5:09 pm
Buffalo Limited.....	*9:00 am	*3:00 pm
Cleveland, Toledo & Detroit.	*12:35 pm	*8:35 pm
Cleveland and Chautauqua....	*9:00 am	*12:15 pm
Buffalo & Eastern Express...	12:35 pm	†6:55 pm
Lake Chautauqua Fast Line..	*12:35 pm	*6:30 pm
Buffalo & Erie Express.....	*5:00 pm	*10:00 pm
Cleveland & Chicago Ex.....	*2:20 pm	*12:15 pm
Boston Special.....	*5:00 pm	*6:55 am
Cleveland & Detroit "Flyer"	*6:15 pm	*11:15 am
Chicago Limited.....	*6:15 pm	*6:35 am
Buffalo Express.....	*10:00 pm	*6:35 am
Cleveland Night Express....	*11:30 pm	*6:35 am
Youngstown Local.....	†5:20 am	†9:00 am
Beaver Falls Local.....	†5:45 am	†8:25 am
Beaver Falls Local.....	†1:10 pm	†9:30 am
Beaver Falls Local.....	†3:30 pm	†12:10 pm
New Castle Local.....	†11:55 am	†4:15 pm
New Castle Local.....	†4:20 pm	†7:20 pm
New Castle Express.....	†9:30 am	†1:10 pm
Beaver Falls Express.....	†8:25 pm	†6:30 am
Beaver Valley Local.....	†8:00 pm	†6:45 am
Brownsville Local.....	†5:10 am	†7:00 am
Brownsville & N. Hav. Ex..	*3:00 am	*8:00 am
McKeesport & Brownsville...	†11:30 am	†11:40 am
Brownsville & New Haven..	*3:30 pm	*4:50 pm
Brownsville Express.....	*6:20 pm	*6:05 pm
Brownsville Express.....	†10:30 pm	†1:50 pm

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CLEVELAND *2.15 am *6.40 am *7.30 am *8 am †1 pm *1.30 pm *5 pm *8.15 pm.
INDIANAPOLIS *1.30 am *4.50 am *8 am *5 pm *8.15 pm *9.45 pm.
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LOUISVILLE *4.50 am *5 pm *8.15 pm *9.45 pm.
COLUMBUS *1.30 am *4.50 am *8 am *12.30 pm *5 pm *8.15 pm *9.45 pm.
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ERIE *7.35 am *4.30 pm 10.10 pm.
JAMESTOWN *8.30 am *7.35 am †12 pm *4.30 pm 10.10 pm.
NEW CASTLE *8.30 am *7.30 am *7.35 am *8.40 am †12 pm *1.30 pm *4.30 pm *6.30 pm *10.35 pm 10.10 pm.
ASHTABULA *8.30 am *4.30 pm.
YOUNGSTOWN *7.30 am *8.30 am *1.30 pm *4.30 pm.
AKRON *8.15 am *5.40 am *7.30 am *8 am *5 pm *11 pm.
BARBERTON *5.40 am *7.30 am *3 am.
WHEELING *6.20 am *8.30 am *11.50 am *3.55 pm *7 pm.
MERCER and OIL CITY *7.35 am *4.30 pm.
BELLAIRE *8.40 am *8.05 am †1 pm *4.02 pm *7.55 am *3.55 pm.
ALLIANCE *4.50 am *8 am *1.35 pm *4.22 pm *5 pm.
WASHINGTON, PA., *6 am †9 am †2 pm *9.45 am *1.22 pm †3 pm *4.10 pm *5.05 pm *5.15 pm *10.30 pm *7.50 am *5.15 pm *9.30 pm.
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New York Limited	7.06 a.m.
Atlantic Express	7.30 a.m.
Main Line Express	8.00 a.m.
Day Express	12.01 p.m.
Chicago Mail (for Balt. and Wash.)	4.50 p.m.
Eastern Express	4.55 p.m.
New York Express	7.10 p.m.
Philadelphia Express	8.50 p.m.
New York Special	9.40 p.m.
Chicago and New York Express	10.00 p.m.
Philadelphia Special	10.02 p.m.
Cincinnati and New York Express	11.10 p.m.

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For Connellsville and Uniontown, 8.15, 8.20 a. m., 12.30 and 5.07 p. m. week-days, 9.00 a. m. and 4.05 p. m. Sundays.
For Brownsville and Uniontown, 10.55 a. m., 4.40 p. m. week-days, and 4.30 p. m. Sundays.
For Brownsville only, 4.15, 8.25, 9.15 a. m., 1.05, 3.25, 7.30, and 11.25 p. m. week-days; 7.00, 9.30 a. m., and 1.05, 1.40, and 9.40 p. m. Sundays. For West Brownsville, 1.05 and 3.25 p. m., week-days. For Dravosburg, West Elizabeth, Monongahela City, and Belle Vernon, 8.15, 8.20, 9.15, 10.55 a. m., 1.05, 3.25, 4.40 (5.15 to Monongahela City), 7.30, and 11.25 p. m., week-days. Sundays, 7.00, 9.30 a. m., 1.05, 1.40, and 9.40 p. m.
For McKeesport, 6.20, 8.00, 9.00 a. m., 1.30, 5.05, 7.30, and 11.00 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 9.00 a. m., 5.05 and 11.00 p. m.
For Wilkinsburg, 6.20, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 a. m., 12.00 noon, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.05, 6.05, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, and 11.30 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 9.00 a. m., 12.00 noon, 5.05, 6.05, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, and 11.30 p. m.
For Braddock, 6.20, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 a. m., 12.00 noon, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.05, 6.05, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, and 11.30 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 9.00 a. m., 12.00 noon, 5.05, 6.05, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, and 11.30 p. m.
For Turtle Creek, Edgewood, Wilmerding, Trafford City, North Braddock, Rankin, Homestead, Munhall, Whitaker, Glassport, Port Perry, Port Vue, Versailles, Boston, Elrama, Monessen, Charleroi, Belle Vernon, Fayette City, Webster, Dunlevy, Smithton, Star Junction, Mt. Pleasant, Scottdale, Connellsville, Uniontown, Brownsville, Monongahela City, Washington, Wheeling, Steubenville, Mingo Junction, Bellaire, Zanesville, Cambridge, Akron, Alliance, Orrville, Wooster, Mansfield, Crestline, Galion, Bucyrus, Marion, Upper Sandusky, Kenton, Findlay, Fostoria, Fremont, Clyde, Bellevue, Norwalk, Willard, Shelby Junction, Shelby

NEW ELEMENT IS NOW IN CONTROL

Annual Election of Chamber of Commerce Results in Sensational Change of Officers.

STILL-HUNT ENDS IN VICTORY

John Eaton, candidate for a third term as president of the Pittsburgh chamber of commerce was defeated yesterday, Maj. A. P. Burchfield being elected. H. Kirke Porter and George H. Anderson were defeated, they being the only two candidates for vice presidents who were not on the victorious opposition ticket, which was sprung suddenly. Mr. Anderson has for years been the manager of the chamber of commerce, but whether the result of yesterday's election means a new incumbent for that office could not be learned yesterday.

The opposition also directed its attention to defeating nine members of the board who were renominated by the administration, and Reuben Miller, who was renominated by the administration in place of James H. Willock, who is ill, the nine present members being William M. Kennedy, James R. Mellon, M. Rosenbaum, E. B. Taylor, Dr. W. J. Holland, Stetson Leach, W. A. Renshaw, W. N. Frew and L. A. Clark. They and Mr. Miller were defeated.

The following are the officers elected: President, Maj. A. P. Burchfield; first vice president, Col. Albert J. Logan; second, John Bindley; third, Robert Pitcairn; fourth, D. F. Black; fifth, H. D. W. English; sixth, Capt. W. E. Rodgers, and seventh, H. J. Heinz, the two new vice presidents being Capt. Rodgers and Mr. English; directors, John C. Airich, Taylor Aldardice, J. E. Ash, Frederick R. Babcock, John B. Barbour, Jr., Samuel W. Black, H. P. Bope, R. H. Boggs, William Campbell, Col. Robert Finney, A. M. Hanauer, Capt. James A. Henderson, William L. Jones, John H. Jones, James W. Khnear, R. K. Mellon, Joseph W. Marsh, Oliver McClintock, Harry P. Pears, D. C. Ripley, Maurice Rauh, Lee S. Smith, W. H. Stevenson, Calvin Wells and Charles H. West.

The Victorious New Directors.

The new directors, nine of whom defeated nine present members, one of whom defeated Reuben Miller, and two of whom succeeded H. D. W. English and D. F. Black, promoted to be vice presidents, are Messrs. Babcock, Bope, Campbell, Finney, John H. Jones, R. B. Mellon, McClintock, Pears, Ripley, Rauh, Stevenson, Wells and West.

The opposition's campaign was quietly conducted, and none of the administration had an inkling of what was going on until 9 o'clock yesterday morning, when a member telephoned to George H. Anderson that he had received by mail a printed ticket, which was the exact size of the official ticket, but which seemed to be different. He read the names on the ticket to Mr. Anderson, who began telephoning, but there was little time left for the administration to unite its forces, for the polls were to open about noon.

For many years chamber of commerce annual elections have been perfunctory affairs, only from 30 to 40 members voting. This time the rooms were crowded, men being there who do not often attend the meetings.

Just 528 votes were cast, and of these John Eaton received 86 and Maj. Burchfield 139. That was the closest contest. The average strength of the administration was from 80 to 85 votes, while the opposition's straight vote averaged 130 to 160.

William H. Stevenson had the highest vote, 823, this anomaly in an election in which 528 persons voted, being attributable to the cumulative system.

Stevenson Got a Dose Once.

Mr. Stevenson was defeated for director last year by that system, many members having voted "plumpers" for L. A. Clark, who lost yesterday. Mr. Stevenson says he has no idea who voted cumulatively for him, as he is opposed to that way of voting.

Just how the campaign of the opposition was begun is a secret of the victorious party, but the first hint of strange developments came when many members received by mail the opposition ticket, enclosed with an anonymous circular. This circular, which was dated March 5, called attention to the fact that the ticket as prepared by the nominating committee, was practically a duplicate of the tickets of 1904 and 1905. "Many members," the circular had it, "thinking an infusion of new blood into the management might be beneficial, have prepared the enclosed ticket, which, while containing many names of those who have done valuable work in the past, includes also a number of new and vigorous men of whom much should be expected in the future."

W. H. Stevenson and Oliver McClintock, both of whom, with Samuel W. Black, H. D. W. English and others of the new directors, have been defeated in efforts to have the chamber of commerce take a decided stand in civic matters, denied that they had anything to do with getting up the ticket.

GOVERNOR VETOES BILLS.

Chief Executive Does Not Approve Investigation of the Philadelphia & Reading.

HARRISBURG, PA., March 6.—Gov. Pennypacker today vetoed the resolution providing for an investigation by a special committee into the affairs of the Philadelphia & Reading Railroad Company and the Philadelphia & Reading Coal and Iron Company, and the resolution directing the attorney general to inquire by what right the Pennsylvania and other railroads in this state are engaged in the anthracite coal mining business.

Both of these resolutions were passed by the recent extra session of the Pennsylvania legislature and were vetoed, the governor states, because they were not germane to the call for the session. The governor also declines to approve the resolution requesting him to call an extra session for the enactment of legislation for a 2-cent passenger rate on the railroads in this state, and the resolution for legislation giving trolley companies the right to carry freight.

BANK INVESTIGATION FAVORABLY REPORTED

ALBANY, N. Y., March 6.—The senate finance committee, by a vote of 7 to 5, today decided to report a bill providing for a commission to inquire into the operations of the banking law and to investigate any charges against the superintendent of banks which may be referred to it by the governor. Two former chief justices of the court of appeals, Alton B. Parker, Democrat, of Esopus, and Charles Andrews, Republican, of Syracuse, are named to constitute the commission.

TWO NEGROES TO HANG FOR WOMAN'S MURDER

MT. HOLLY, N. J., March 6.—George Small, the negro placed on trial yesterday charged with the killing of Florence W. Allinson, near Moorestown, was tonight convicted of murder in the first degree and sentenced to be hanged March 23, which time Rufus Johnson will also be executed for the same crime. Johnson was convicted of the murder February 8 and sentenced to hang on February 22. Small made a confession and Johnson was reprieved for a month.

Railroad Branch of Y. M. C. A.

Following up a movement started last November, which had the hearty approval of the railroad officials, the Pennsylvania Company Employes' association, Sedgwick street, Allegheny, has been made a branch of the Young Men's Christian association of Pittsburgh. The branch is now known as the Pennsylvania company railroad department of the Young Men's Christian Association of Pittsburgh. An executive committee, appointed some weeks ago, held its first meeting Monday night and elected the following officers: Recording secretary, Eugene M. Mensch; treasurer, Charles A. Jackson; general secretary, William H. Mann. The department has 797 members.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday:

Andrew Boon, Lubretta Woods, Pittsburgh.
Ferdinand B. Rodgers, Helen Peyton, Allegheny.
Harry Metzger, Virgie Caldwell, Greensburg.
Samuel J. Wick, Pittsburgh, Margaret Stahl, Harrisburg.
Elias K. Mossburg, Duquesne, Helen Hayden, Braddock.
James C. Libbey, Swissvale, Maude L. Heer, Pittsburgh.

STRANGE WEDDING AT PENITENTIARY

Warden's Office at Riverside Is the Scene of a Unique Marriage Ceremony.

BRIDE GIVES RING TO GROOM

Joseph Zgone, a giant Slav, with a garb of stripes and short-cropped hair, took unto himself Elizabeth Salata, a pretty girl of 19, as his wife in the warden's office of the Western penitentiary yesterday. The service was said by Alderman Humphrey Lynch of the Ninth ward. Deputy Warden J. Harry Corbett and a reporter were the only witnesses.

The groom was called from his work in the iron factory and allowed to wash his face and hands, and accompanied by Col. Corbett, went to the warden's office to meet his [illegible].

Early yesterday Miss Salata left her home in Ou[illegible] Cambria county, and journeyed a[illegible]burgh. Eventually she arr[illegible] office of Alderman Lynch, who[illegible]r to the prison. The somber sh[illegible] the grim rotunda seemed to [illegible]n her the spirit of their melancholy [illegible] for a few minutes the girl cried sof[illegible]. The bolts in a heavy iron gate clanked and Zgone entered. Then followed the ceremony, the first within the prison.

It was brief. After quietly greeting each other, the prisoner and the girl stood up and listened to the words of the alderman. Col. Corbett gave the bride away. Then came the strangest part of this strange wedding. Miss Salata drew from her pocket a plain gold band ring and slipped it upon the third finger of the groom's left hand. According to their native custom, there is an exchange of rings at a marriage ceremony. Because of his incarceration, probably, Zgone had no ring to give his new wife. This evidently did not affect her in the slightest. Zgone wore the ring for five minutes, during which time he sat and conversed with the girl. But such personal adornment is not permitted in Riverside. Col. Corbett took the ring and returned it to the bride. The two then kissed and separated.

Zgone again went through the iron door to his labors and will remain there for two years in expiation of his crime. The girl left and walked up to Preble avenue, where she took a car for Pittsburgh. The groom is serving two years and six months for receiving stolen goods, being committed from Cambria county. He has served four months.

President David B. Oliver of the board of prison inspectors said yesterday that ordinarily the prison is not a suitable place for weddings, but under conditions existing in this case, the board had no hesitation in giving consent.

The Death Roll.

Miss Laura M. Logan.

Miss Laura M. Logan, aged 64, for over a quarter of a century a teacher in the Fifth ward school, Allegheny, and one of the best known instructors in the county, died yesterday morning at the Home for Incurables, Butler, Pa. She was stricken with paralysis a little over a year ago, and after receiving treatment for several months at the Presbyterian hospital, was admitted to the home. For several months she had been partially paralyzed and was compelled to use a wheel chair. Last Monday she sustained the third stroke, which resulted in her death. Miss Logan was one of the most successful teachers in the Allegheny schools. So greatly were her former pupils attached to her that when her illness began they organized a society, which furnished funds for her care. The society will have charge of the funeral and will also, it is understood, erect a monument to perpetuate her memory. Miss Logan was a member of the Presbyterian church, and was a devout Christian. She is survived by three brothers, two of whom reside at Imperial and the other at Conneaut Lake, Pa.

The Rev. John J. Martin.

The Rev. John F. Martin, aged 68, who retired several years ago from the ministry owing to ill-health, died Monday night at his home, 16 Wilson avenue, Allegheny. He was born in Indiana county, Pa. After graduating from Washington and Jefferson college in 1869, he entered the United Presbyterian Theological seminary, Allegheny, and was licensed to preach in 1873. His first pastorate included the churches at Evansburg and Mt. Pleasant, in the Allegheny presbytery. In 1879 he went to Iowa, where he preached for a number of years, and later took a charge at Lebanon, Mo. About 15 years ago he entered the ministry of the Presbyterian church and continued his work until a few years ago. His last pastorate was in St. Louis. He is survived by his widow, a daughter, three sons and an adopted son.

Mrs. Kate McCartney.

Mrs. Kate McCartney, widow of Capt. Scott McCartney and formerly a resident of Allegheny, died yesterday at a hospital in Philadelphia, where she had been living for a year. The body will be brought to Bellevue, where funeral services will be held at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. M. Mullen. Mrs. McCartney was a member of St. John's chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, and belonged to the Baptist church. The following children survive: Elmer and Miss Clara McCartney, Allegheny; Scott McCartney, Philadelphia.

Mrs. Louisa Gibner.

Mrs. Louisa Gibner is dead at Mendelssohn, aged 86. "Aunt Louisa," as she was familiarly known, was a daughter of Conrad Rhodes, who went to McKeesport when that place contained but three homes. She was born in the old homestead at Frantz station and spent all her life in that vicinity. She is survived by no immediate relatives. She leaves many nephews and nieces, among them being Mrs. Charlotte Fairbank, Fred H. Coursin and B. E. Coursin, all of McKeesport. Mrs. Gibner was a member of the Elizabeth Presbyterian church.

Mrs. Anifield Morgan Shaffer.

Mrs. Anifield Morgan Shaffer, aged 81, mother of Theodore Shaffer, ex-resident of the Amalgamated Association of Iron and Steel Workers, died Monday at her home, 5470 Rosetta street. She was born in Maryland and had resided in Pittsburgh for the last 20 years. Her maiden name was Ward and her mother was one of the descendants of Col. John Morgan, who became famous during the Revolutionary war.

Obituary Notes.

Joseph Woroch, aged 48, died Monday at Homeville. He was former superintendent of the Elks' club in Homestead. He is survived by his widow.

George H. Coates, clerk in the shipping department of the Jones & Laughlin mills, is dead at his home in Stewart street, Lower St. Clair township, aged 35. He leaves a widow and five children.

Miss Cecilia Boney, aged 18, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Boney, died Monday at the family home near Hannastown, Braddock township. She was a member of St. James' Roman Catholic church of Wilkinsburg.

Miss Mercedes Mercer, aged 25, of McKeesport, died yesterday from typhoid fever. Miss Mercer was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Mercer of East Park way. She was a member of the Fifth Avenue Baptist church.

Mrs. Mary Holler, aged 89, widow of Martin Holler, a former resident of Mill Creek, Huntington county, Pa., died yesterday morning at the West Penn hospital after a brief illness. She had resided in Pittsburgh for a number of years. A daughter survives her.

CURIOUS CHANGE

Caused by Food.

"A few months ago," writes a N. Y. state woman, "I was the victim of a stomach so disordered that I could eat scarcely any sort of food without suffering great distress. In time an eruption appeared, of a most painful nature, which covered my whole body, and which the doctors said was erysipelas, and prescribed for it accordingly.

"Their medicines gave me no relief, however, my condition growing worse day by day. At last it occurred to me that possibly the derangement of my stomach was the cause of the trouble. The doctors said that that organ was like a piece of raw beef.

"I made a complete change in my diet, and put myself on a straight regimen of Grape-Nuts food. In a day or two I began to improve, my digestion gradually came back, all the nervousness and headaches disappeared, and within 10 days the so-called erysipelas passed away and has never returned. Meantime my weight has increased and I can digest food that formerly I could not.

"I can honestly say that Grape-Nuts food constitutes the best diet I ever used." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

There's a reason. Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

Spring and Summer Goods on Display at McCreery & Co's.

One of the bright spots in Pittsburgh yesterday afternoon was the second floor of McCreery & Co.'s store, where there was inaugurated an opening of spring and summer dress fabrics. As prophesied, greys are far in the lead in point of color. Not black and whites, though these are shown, but greys in all their shadings. Some plain shades, of course, but predominantly plaids, checks and stripes. Invisible checks with an overplaid promise to be immensely popular. Shadow plaids with faint suggestions of lavender combine the season's two most popular tones.

Tans have enjoyed a pronounced revival and the mode shades come into reflected favor. Greens in the soft shadings, reseda, olive and sage are greatly favored. Lavenders in all tintings and weights are offered for the dressy gown for street or indoor wear. Old rose shades which enjoyed a tentative favor in the late winter have continued and increased their hold upon popular regard. "Alice blue" is still with us, also the Cadet shades, and the never-to-be-forgotten navies are here for the woman who realizes their serviceable qualities.

Voiles in a dozen varieties and a score of colorings are prominent among the dress fabrics offered. The checked voiles are especially pleasing, and come in all the modish colors combined with white, blue and white, both the Alice shade and the darker tones, brown and white, green and white, and the always reliable black and white. Another variation of the checked voile is shown with an embroidered dot of contrasting shade scattered across the surface. Brown dotted in tan and blue dotted in green were among the happy color effects. One of the noticeably effective patterns was an ivory ground barred with inch wide bands of hair stripes in tan intersected with an inch wide band of hair stripes in green.

More elaborate are the French voiles embroidered in pin dots and in diminutive floral effect, which are shown in the lighter shadings for elaborate afternoon toilettes. Black and white fancy checked serges will appeal to the practical woman, as will also the varied line of mohairs in any shading asked.

Checked foule cloth is a French fabric of excellent texture, offered in blue, in blue and tan and in red and white. Tamise cloth will also make a strong bid for popularity. It comes in two-tone effects—grey and blue, blue and tan, etc. One of the most beautiful of the airy fabrics displayed was the revivified barege. This material suggests the grenadine of happy memory and comes in pin stripes of the popular shades, the grey and black being especially pleasing. All of the summer dress goods of which we have been reading are here, given in a variety quite bewildering. It matters not what your taste or purse, nor, indeed, what your judgment as to weave or coloring, an hour spent looking through the dress goods aisles cannot but result in a selection eminently satisfactory as to style and beauty.

DIED.

ALSTON—On Tuesday, March 6, 1906, at 2:15 p. m., MATILDA LITTLE, widow of Thomas Alston.

Funeral services at her late residence, 529 Jeannett street, Wilkinsburg, Pa., on Thursday afternoon, at 2 o'clock. Interment private.

ANDREWS—Suddenly, on Monday, March 5, 1906, at 7:43 a. m., at the residence of his mother, corner Montezuma and Lemington avenue, East End, JOHN STEWART, second son of Elizabeth and the late John Andrews, in his 12th year.

Funeral from the residence of his grandmother, Mrs. Robert Seymour, 1514 Lincoln avenue, East End, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

BARR—On Monday, March 5, 1906, at the residence of his uncle, Samuel Maher, Kansas City, Kan., FRANK B., son of the late Daniel O. Barr.

Funeral from his late residence, 5949 Alder street, East End. Time will be announced later. Please omit flowers.

BEAMER—On Tuesday, March 6, 1906, at 8:30 p. m., at the residence of Miss M. Ayres, 230 Sheridan avenue, East End, E. BLANCHE BEAMER.

Funeral services and interment at Hollidaysburg, Pa.

BRANNIGAN—On Monday, March 5, 1906, at 1 p. m., RICHARD J. BRANNIGAN, in his 38th year.

Funeral from his late residence, 122 Henderson street, Allegheny, on Wednesday morning at 8:30 o'clock. High mass of requiem at St. Peter's Roman Catholic church, Ohio street and Sherman avenue, at 9 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

DUNN—On Monday, March 5, 1906, at 2:30 p. m., WILLIAM T. DUNN, in his 81st year.

Funeral services at his late residence, Forbes and Braddock avenues, Pittsburgh, this afternoon at 3 o'clock. Interment private.

ECKLES—On Tuesday, March 6, 1906, at 1:15 p. m., JAMES HENRY, infant son of Asa J. and Alice L. Eckles.

Funeral services at the parents' residence, 5708 Margaretta street, East End, Thursday morning, at 10:30 o'clock. Interment private.

FRENCH—Suddenly, on Sunday, March 4, 1906, at 7 p. m., ALBERT M. FRENCH, aged 35 years 6 months.

Funeral services at the residence of his parents, 1006 Neel street, West Homestead, this afternoon at 1 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

HAMILTON—On Monday, March 5, 1906, at 10:30 a. m., ELLEN MOREL EDGE, wife of John P. Hamilton, aged 60 years.

Funeral services at her residence, 5623 Wellesley avenue, East End, this afternoon at 3 o'clock. Interment private.

LOGAN—On Tuesday, March 6, 1906, at 8:50 a. m., at the Protestant Home for Incurables, Miss LAURA M. LOGAN, in her 64th year.

Funeral services at the home on Thursday morning at 10 o'clock. Friends of the deceased and members of the Logan Pupil association are invited to attend. Interment at Imperial, Pa., on Thursday afternoon on arrival of train leaving city at 12:55 p. m., eastern time.

MARTIN—On Monday, March 5, 1906, at 6:50 p. m., at his home, 16 Wilson avenue, Allegheny, the Rev. JOHN F. MARTIN, a member of the Allegheny Presbytery of the Presbyterian church.

Funeral services in the Eighth United Presbyterian church, Perrysville and Euclid avenues, Allegheny, Thursday, at 2 p. m.

MOORE—Suddenly, at her residence in Meadville, Pa., HARIETTE BROWN MOORE, wife of Capt. Daniel Moore, and mother of Edgar M. Moore.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

REICHHOLD—On Sunday, March 4, 1906, at 6 p. m., GEORGE REICHHOLD, in his 68th year.

Funeral services at his late residence, 135 Winslow street, East End, on Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Interment private.

STONE—On Tuesday, March 6, 1906, at 6:30 p. m., at his residence, Coraopolis, Pa., WILLIAM B. STONE, in his 47th year.

Funeral services at his late residence, Second avenue, Coraopolis, Pa., on Friday, March 9, 1906, at 10 a. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. [Huntingdon and Harrisburg (Pa.) papers please copy.]

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MR. FAT-HEAD'S WIFE OBJECTED

Once there lived in Pittsburgh an imitation man who thought himself wondrous wise. He could tell you all about everything, and especially what to do with your money.

Despite his cargo of superimposed wisdom, however, this man's wife was very unhappy. Not that he beat her or maltreated the children. Far from it. He really felt that he was kind to the family.

The trouble with this Fat-Head was that he "knew" he was a born financier. A phrenologist told him so. And that settled it. Financial dope was his breakfast food ever afterward.

The phrenologist did the best he could with the bumps he had to work on. He told the victim what certain protuberances signified, and threw in a bunch of guesses that looked good if you didn't

Fat-Head Expostulates.

bother about the details. Then he filled out a chart and blandly accepted a fee representing the victim's week's wages.

Mr. Fat-Head took his chart home and studied it diligently. Inside of a month the neighbors noticed a difference in him.

In justice to the subject of this sketch be it said that he was pretty well thought of by people generally before he began to smoke the dream pipe. Of course, he never "arrived." But that's no crime. Many of us miss the last car.

Well, Mr. Fat-Head began to play up to the part he had assigned himself as a second Pierpont Morgan. He believed in himself so hard that he got the money face.

Years passed and our Hero was still smoking.

Every pay-day he received from his employer a little yellow envelope containing his salary. The sum was not large, but it would have been sufficient for the needs of the family if the Old Man had used it judiciously. But wisdom wasn't Fat-Head's favorite volume. He preferred to be different.

If a good opportunity came up the street smiling, the new school financier crossed to the other side to avoid it. No one could tell him what to do. He knew. The phrenologist assured him—

But let us haste.

The pet aversion developed by this Child of Reason was aimed at the thing called credit.

The family lived humbly—had to—for Mr. Fat-Head scorned the thought of buying any article whatsoever on the installment plan. He paid cash or he did without the goods. So most of the time the family did without. They never had anything in the house, the neighbors said. But Papa said: "Well! My system must win. It cannot fail."

The poor wife protested almost daily that she needed many things immediately, any of which she could have obtained on credit. But her tears were in vain. Pierpont's understudy was too busy looking backward to be influenced by a weeping woman.

Solicitors for different concerns urged his Wax Works to open accounts, but he always made the same reply, which cut the air something like this:

"I am a real financier. I never buy on credit. If I haven't the money at the time I think I want an article, I wait till I have saved the required amount. I refuse to go into debt."

More years passed. Hero still smoking. "But think," business men would often say to him, "of the comforts and the conveniences you have denied both yourself and family by reason of the policy you pursue. Consider the advantages of having the use of goods while paying for them.

"Now, there is the liberal credit system which has made the name of Friend famous. That firm's big furniture and carpet establishment at 810 to 814 Penn avenue is an institution of which Pittsburgh is justly proud. Credit is the foundation of that vast business."

But what cared Fat-Head? He had often heard that Friend trusts everybody, and that you can take practically your own time to make the payments.

Furthermore, Friend's credit system is as clean in its operation as it is attractive on paper. It is superior to and unlike the credit system prevailing in any other installment store. You cannot help liking it, especially after learning that Friend's credit prices are actually lower than the prices charged by the exclusively cash stores everywhere.

The next time you hear of anyone who is so foolish as to go through the world on a strictly cash basis, think of Mr. Fat-Head. He occasionally pretended to listen to advice, but he didn't hear. He simply would not believe that a charge account was a good thing for the customer.

When he died his widow went into debt for the funeral expenses.

Such is the irony of fate.

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WELL RESPONDS NOBLY TO DOSE OF EXPLOSIVE.

On Point Pleasant creek, Ellsworth district, Tyler county, the Southern Oil Company treated its test on the R. A. Workman farm to its first dose of the high explosive third and the result was very gratifying. The shot was given it Monday evening, and it immediately responded by producing 40 barrels an hour, and yesterday morning was holding up at 25 barrels an hour. This well was drilled in two weeks ago and started at 20 barrels an hour. The location is almost a mile in advance of developments, and indicates a new pool. The Southern Oil Company holds leases on about 800 acres in that locality. The company has started a second test on the Workman farm, and others interested in territory in the same district are getting ready to do some development work. On Limestone creek, Coal district, Harrison county, the Clarksburg Light and Heat Company has drilled its test on the J. M. Francis farm through the fifth sand, and has a fair gasser in that formation.

On Silver run, in the new salt sand development, Grant district, Ritchie county, the States Oil Company has completed a test on the H. L. McGinnis farm, and has a show for a 10-barrel pumper in the salt sand. One mile south of the Milton district, in Cabell county, the Fought Oil Company has drilled in a second test on the Sarah Roberts farm and has a show for a fair producer in the Big Lime. After the well had made several light flows, drilling was suspended to move back the boiler and erect tankage. This location is south of developments, and may open up a small extension.

South of Cairo, on the North fork of Hughes river, Grant district, Ritchie county, T. R. Cowell has drilled his test on the B. F. Noll farm through the salt sand and has a duster. In the Middlebourne district, Tyler county, the Melrose Oil and Gas Company has drilled its second test on the Thomas McKee farm through the Big Injun, and has a duster. It is now drilling to the Berea grit. In the Wallace district, Harrison county, the South Penn Oil Company has drilled its No. 8 on the E. O. Hall farm into the top of the Gordon, and has developed no oil or gas. In the Folsom district, Wetzel county, the same company's No. 59 on the Gennie Robinson tract is producing 30 barrels a day. In the Fink district, Doddridge county, the South Penn Oil Company has shot its test on the Theresa Gum farm and No. 4 on the Maxwell heirs' farm. The first failed to respond and the last produced 25 barrels the first 24 hours.

On the Little Kanawha river, in the Yellow creek district, Calhoun county, the Carter Oil Company has drilled its No. 5 on the Allen Nardiman tract into the salt sand and has a show for a 20-barrel producer. The same company has shot its No. 2 on the same tract and increased its production to 25 barrels a day. In the same district, the Potomac Oil and Gas Company has drilled its test on the B. B. Ferrell farm into the Berea grit, and has a show for a light pumper in the lower formation.

On the Ohio side, in the Wolf creek district, Fought & Dougherty have completed a test on the Jemima Dougherty farm, and have a duster. In the same district, E. H. Jennings & Bros. have completed No. 18 on the John Zumbro farm, and have a very light pumper in the shallow sand.

In the Burgettstown district, Washington county, Pa., the Chartiers Oil Company has completed its test on the Johnson farm, and it is good for 25 or 30 barrels a day. In the same district, R. G. Gillespie has completed No. 9 on the R. & Lyle farm and has a producer good for 20 or 25 barrels a day. E. H. Jennings & Bros.' test on the J. L. Kerr farm is producing 80 barrels a day through the casing since it was given a shot. In the Murdockaville field, Beaver county, Watson & Company have completed a test on the George Purdy farm, and have a very light pumper. In the same district, Logan & Company are drilling a second test on the Fanny Porter farm.

On Middle Island creek, McKim district, Pleasants county, W. Va., the Little Farm Oil Company has drilled its No. 14 on the T. J. Little farm through the Cow Run sand and has a duster.

On the South fork of Hughes river, in Murphy district, Ritchie county, the Southern Oil Company's test on the Adam Lemon farm is producing 50 barrels a day.

Shipments and Runs.

Shipments and runs of the Pennsylvania, Ohio and Indiana fields:

PENNSYLVANIA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.		RUNS.	
March 4 and 5.	78,635	March 3 and 4..	58,287
Previously	215,585	Previously	149,156
Total	294,270	Total	185,543
Daily average..	58,854	Daily average...	46,386

LIMA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.		RUNS.	
March 4 and 5.	118,884	March 3 and 4..	21,611
Previously	178,722	Previously	69,428
Total	297,706	Total	91,039
Daily average..	59,541	Daily average...	22,767

The Oil Market.

The following are the quotations for credit balances in the different fields:

Pennsylvania, $1 68; Tiona, $1 68; Second Sand, $1 78; Cabell, $1 18; Corning, $1 10; New Castle, $1 35; North Lima, 94c; South Lima, 89c; Indiana, 89c; Somerset, 88c; Ragland, 60c.

The Producers and Refiners Company quotes $1 58 for Pennsylvania oil.

OIL CITY, March 6.—Credit balances, $1 58. Shipments, 95,863; average, 68,054; runs, 76,078; average, 49,030. Shipments, Lima, 60,590; average, 59,540; runs, 3,866; average, 25,242.

TOLEDO, March 6.—Oil—North Lima, 94c; South Lima and Indiana, 89c.

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IN PERIL OF HIS LIFE

BY EMILE GABORIAU

Author of "THE MYSTERY OF ORCIVAL," "FILE NO. 113," Etc.

(Continued from Yesterday.)

"There is something extraordinary going on in the marquis' mind," said the servants to each other. The fact is, he spent his days, and a part of his nights, in his study, half-buried in an arm chair, eating little, and sleeping still less, insensible to all that went on around him. On his table he had arranged all his letters from Sauveterre; and he read and reread them incessantly, phrase by phrase, trying, even in vain, to disengage the truth from a mass of conflicting statements. He was no longer as sure of his son as he had been at first, fast from it! Each day had brought him a new doubt; every letter additional uncertainty. Hence he was all the time a prey to the most harassing apprehensions. He would have banished them from his mind; but ever and ever they returned, stronger and more irresistible than before, like the waves of the rising tide.

He was in this state of mind one morning in his study. It was still early, and he was suffering acutely from anxiety, for M. Folgat had written, "Tomorrow all uncertainty will end. Tomorrow the solitary confinement will cease, and M. Jacques will see M. Magloire, the counsel he has chosen. We will write immediately." It was for the news this promised letter might bring that the marquis was now waiting. Twice already he had rung to inquire if the post had not come, when all of a sudden his valet entered the room, and with a frightened air exclaimed: "The marchioness has just arrived with Anthony, M. Jacques' own man."

Hardly were these words spoken than Madame de Boiscoran herself entered, looking even worse than when Jacques saw her in the prison parlor; for she was overcome by the fatigue of a night spent in traveling. The marquis started to his feet, and as soon as the servant had left the room, he asked in a trembling voice, as if wishing for an answer, and still fearing to hear it, "Has anything unusual happened?"

"Yes."

"Good or bad?"

"Bad."

"Good Heaven! Jacques has not confessed?"

"How could he confess when he is innocent?"

"Then, he has explained?"

"As far as I am concerned, and M. Folgat, Dr. Seignebos, and all those who know him and love him, yes, but not for the public, his enemies, or the law. He has explained everything; but he has no proofs."

The marquis' mournful features settled into still deeper gloom. "In other words, he has to be believed on his word" he asked.

"Don't you believe him?"

"My opinion is not in question; we have to think of the jury."

"Well, for the jury proof will be found; at least such is the hope of M. Folgat, who has come in the same train with me, and whom you will see today."

"What proof will he find."

Perhaps the marchioness was not unprepared for such a reception; still she was evidently disconcerted. "Jacques," she began, "was the Countess de Claudieuse's lover."

"Ah, ha!" broke in the marquis. And, in a tone of offensive irony, he added, "What, another story of equivocal intercourse, eh?"

The marchioness did not answer, but quietly proceeded. "When the countess heard of Jacques' intended marriage, she became exasperated and determined to be avenged."

"And in order to be avenged, she tried to murder her husband, eh?"

"She wished to be free."

The Marquis de Boiscoran interrupted his wife with a formidable oath. "And that is all Jacques could invent?" he cried. "If he kept so obstinately silent it was to finish by telling us this improbable story."

"You don't let me conclude. Our son is the victim of unparalleled coincidences."

"Of course! Unparalleled coincidences! That is what every one of the thousand or two rascals sentenced every year say. Do you think they confess? Not they! Ask them, and they will prove to you that they are victims of fate, of some dark plot, or finally, of an error of judgement. As if justice could err in these days of ours, after all these preliminary examinations, long inquiries, careful investigations."

"You will see M. Folgat. He will tell you what hope there is."

"And if all hope fails?" and seeing that the marchioness hung her head, "what then?" asked her husband.

"All would still not be lost. But then we should have to endure the pain of seeing our son in the dock."

The old gentleman's tall figure rose once more to its full height; his face grew red; and wrath flashed from his eyes. "Jacques in the dock!" he cried with a formidable voice. "And you come and tell me that coolly, as if it were a simple, natural matter! And what will happen then, if he is in the dock? He will be condemned; and a Boiscoran will go to the galleys. But no, that cannot be! I do not say that a Boiscoran may not commit a crime; passion makes us do strange things; but a Boiscoran, when he regains his senses, knows what he should do. Blood washes out all stains. Jacques prefers the executioner; he waits; he is cunning; he means to plead. If he but save his head, he is quite content. A few years' hard labor, I suppose, will be a trifle to him. And to think that coward should be a Boiscoran; that my blood should flow in his veins! Come, come, madam, Jacques is no son of mine."

Crushed as the marchioness had seemed to be till now, she rose under this atrocious insult. "Sir!" she cried.

But M. de Boiscoran was not in a state to listen to her. "I know what I am saying," he went on. "I remember everything, if you have forgotten. Come, let us go back to the past. Remember the time when Jacques was born, and tell me in what year it was that M. de Margerfi refused my challenge."

Indignation restored the marchioness' strength. "And you tell me this today," she cried, "after 30 years, and under such circumstances!"

"Yes, after 30 years. Eternity might pass over these recollections, and it would not efface them. Still, but for these circumstances to which you refer, I should never have said anything. At the time to which I allude, I had to choose between two evils—either to be ridiculous, or hated. I preferred to keep silent, not not to inquire too far. My happiness was gone; but I wished to save my peace of mind. We have lived together on excellent terms; but there has always been between us the high wall of suspicion. As long as I was doubtful, I kept silent. But now, when the facts confirm my doubts, I say again, 'Jacques is no son of mine!'"

The marchioness de Boiscoran wrung her hands, overcome with grief, shame and indignation. "What a humiliation!" she exclaimed. "What you are saying is too horrible. It is unworthy of you to add to this terrible suffering the martyrdom which I am enduring."

M. de Boiscoran laughed convulsively. "Did I bring about this catastrophe?" he asked.

"Well, then, yes! One day I was imprudent and indiscreet. I was young; I knew nothing of life; the world worshipped me; and you, my husband, my noble slave yourself up to your ambition, and left me to myself. I could not foresee the consequences of a very inoffensive piece of coquetry."

"Then you see those consequences now. After 30 years I disown the child that bears my name; and I say that, if he is innocent, he suffers for his mother's sins. Fate would have it that your son should covet his neighbor's wife, and, having taken her, it is but justice that he should die the death of the adulterer."

"But you know very well that I have never forgotten my duty."

"I know nothing."

"You have acknowledged it, because you refused to hear the explanation which would have justified me."

"True. I did shrink from an explanation, which, with your unbearable pride, would necessarily have led to a rupture, and thus to a fearful scandal."

The marchioness might have told her husband that, by refusing to hear her explanation, he had forfeited all right to utter reproach; but she felt it would be useless.

"All I do know is," continued the marquis, "that there is somewhere in this world a man whom I wanted to kill. Gossiping people betrayed his name to me. I went to him, and demanded satisfaction, saying, that I hoped he would conceal the real reason of our encounter even from our seconds. He refused to give me satisfaction, on the ground that he did not owe me any, that you had been calumniated, and that he would only meet me if I should insult him publicly."

"Well?"

"What could I do after that? Investigate the matter? You had no doubt taken your precautions and it would have amounted to nothing. Watch you? I should only have demeaned myself uselessly; for you were no doubt on your guard. Should I ask for a separation? The law afforded me that remedy. I might have dragged you into court, held you up to the sarcasms of my counsel, and exposed you to the jests of your own. I had a right to humble you, to dishonor my name, to proclaim your disgrace, to publish it in the newspapers. Ah, I would sooner have died!"

The marchioness seemed to be puzzled. "That is the explanation of your conduct?" she asked.

"Yes, that was my reason for giving up public life, ambitious as I was. That was the reason why I withdrew from the world; for I thought everybody smiled as I passed. That is why I gave you the management of our house and education of your son, why I became a passionate collector, a half-mad original. And you only find out today that you have ruined my life."

There was more compassion than resentment in the manner in which the marchioness looked at her husband. "You mentioned to me your unjust suspicions," she replied; "but I felt strong in my innocence, and I was in hope that time and my conduct would efface them."

"Faith once lost never comes back again."

(To be Continued Tomorrow.)

Henry E. Dixey.

Henry E. Dixey, as handsome, debonair and fascinating, and apparently not a day older than when he was the beau ideal "Adonis," comes to the Belasco theater next week in his notable success, "The Man on the Box," a dramatization of the famous novel by Harold MacGrath. It is a romantic love story in which Mr. Dixey has the best role of his entire career.

Attacks Young Woman on Bridge.

Miss Elizabeth St. Clair of 3304 Dixon street was held up early yesterday morning while crossing the Twenty-eighth street bridge. Her assailant was a well-dressed young man, who fled after searching her for valuables.

RUSSIAN PEOPLE GET SOME VOICE

Imperial Ukases Prescribe Rules for Election and Proceedings of Houses of Parliament.

CZAR IS TO NAME PRESIDENT

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

ST. PETERSBUG, March 6.—An imperial manifesto and ukase, relating to the reorganization of the council of the empire and changes in the constitution of the national douma, as promulgated October 30, were published today.

The manifesto announces that the two bodies composing the parliament, the council of the empire and the national assembly, will be prorogued annually by imperial ukase. In the council of the empire will be an equal number of elected members and members nominated by the emperor. Both bodies will have equal legislative powers. Both bodies may annul the election of any of their members. The manifesto concludes with the declaration that the emperor firmly hopes that the participation of the representatives of the people in the government will contribute to the economic welfare of the empire, and strengthen the unity of Russia.

During suspension of sittings of the national assembly, should extraordinary circumstances arise, the council of ministers may refer to the emperor for his decision such measures as do not involve a change in the fundamental laws of the empire, regulations governing the procedure of the council of the empire, or the national assembly, or the conduct of elections to membership in those bodies. The power of such a measure ceases if two months after the national assembly has resumed its sittings no bill embodying the provisions therein contained be brought forward, or if such bill be rejected by the national assembly or the council of the empire.

The elective members of the council of the empire are eligible for nine years. One-third of them will be re-elected triennially. Each zemstvo is to elect a member, six members will be returned by the holy synod of the Orthodox church, six by the Academy of Sciences and universities, 12 by the bourses of commerce and industry, 18 by the nobility and six by the landed proprietors of Poland.

All the members of the council must be 40 years old and baccalaureates. The president and vice president will be appointed by the emperor. Elective members will receive $12.50 daily during the sessions. The sittings of both bodies will be public and no closure of debate may be voted by a majority.

Ministers will be eligible to election to the national assembly. Laws voted by the two bodies will be submitted for imperial sanction by the president of the council of the empire. The members of both bodies are immune from arrest during the session except by permission of the bodies to which they belong, unless guilty of flagrant offenses.

The ukases further point out that bills rejected by the emperor cannot be brought forward again in the course of the same session. Bills rejected by one of the legislative bodies shall require imperial consent before being reintroduced.

The full provisions of the imperial manifesto throw a flood of light on the purpose of the government to keep a firm check on the new parliament. The council of the empire, with one-half appointed by the emperor and 26 elected from the nobility and clergy, seems to insure a majority in the council to block the national assembly should it be in opposition to the crown.

The government's retention of power to promulgate "temporary" laws during recesses of the parliament, with parliament subject to dissolution by imperial ukase, will enable the government in time of stress to rid itself of an obnoxious legislature and proclaim such laws as it pleases. The barring of "reds" from membership in the national assembly is provided by exacting from persons elected an oath of fidelity to "Emperor, Autocrat and Holy Russia." The most significant article retains a provision of an existing law, placing beyond the jurisdiction of the parliament, and consigning to existing commissions of the council of the empire, composed solely of members appointed by the crown, for consideration, reports of the minister of finance upon the state of the treasury, charges of malfeasance against members of the council of the empire, ministers, governors-general and commanders-in-chief of land or sea forces; the establishment of stock companies with special privileges, and questions relating to entailed estates and titles of nobility.

GEORGE LEE LIVES SEVEN YEARS WITH BROKEN BACK

After living seven years with a broken back and undergoing 40 operations, George Lee died Friday at his home, 3225 Wampum street. In March, 1899, Lee, who was a brakeman on the Pittsburgh, Virginia & Charleston railroad, fell between two cars and was dragged a long distance. His spine and skull were fractured, both wrists, both thighs and both ankles broken. He was taken to the West Penn hospital, where he remained five years, the last two years of his life being spent at his home. In the seven years he has submitted to 40 operations for the removal of small particles of bone from his spine.

Mrs. Palmer Not to Be Duchess.

LONDON, March 6.—Special Cable.)—It is authoritatively denied here that Mrs. Potter Palmer will marry the duke of Athol.

RAILROADS ARE STORING COAL

Baltimore & Ohio Follows the Example of Panhandle Road in Doubling Its Orders.

ROBBINS CALLS CONFERENCE

Following the instructions given all supplying coal companies to double all orders for coal, and make immediate shipments as heavy as possible, the Panhandle railroad yesterday ordered 90 gondola cars, which had been taken to the repair shops, to be pressed into service at once, ordering them distributed to the various coal companies to assist in forwarding to the coal storage points which have been provided.

Local officials of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad telegraphed to Baltimore headquarters last evening, asking permission to double orders for coal on this division. It is believed that the privilege will be granted and arrangements were made yesterday for storing immense quantities of coal along that line.

Francis L. Robbins, chairman of the Pittsburgh Coal Company, will this morning notify all bituminous operators in the Western Pennsylvania field to gather in conference in the offices of the Pittsburgh Coal Company on Friday morning.

Since the general call was issued for a post-convention in Indianapolis on March 19 the Indiana, Ohio and Illinois operators have issued calls for individual conferences preparatory to the convention, and the call to be issued by Mr. Robbins this morning is along the same lines. The local conference is expected to be an interesting one, as many of the independents, if not the majority, are pledged against granting any advance while the Pittsburgh Coal Company and a few of the larger independents are believed to favor the proposed 5.55 per cent wage increase.

The storing of coal by the railroads and large industrial corporations is being done as a precaution. A general strike is hardly expected. It is almost an assured fact that a great many of the independent operators will rebel and conduct an open shop after April 1. With its vast coal properties the Pittsburgh Coal Company feels assured that it can accommodate a large proportion of the union men who may be ousted from the independent mines, and be in a position to supply a greater portion of the needs for bituminous coal should the supply become limited by the closing of independent mines.

Word was received in Pittsburgh yesterday to the effect that the American Federation of Labor will support the United Mine Workers of America, morally and financially, should a strike be ordered. President Samuel Gompers has called a meeting of the executive council for Washington, D. C., March 15, the same day upon which the operators meet in Indianapolis and four days after the convention of the miners convenes. This is taken as a significant coincidence.

NEARING ITS CLOSE.

Only Two More Sets of Pittsburgh Orchestra Concerts This Season.

The Pittsburgh orchestra season is fast drawing to a close, only two more sets of concerts remaining to be given. Mr. Paur has prepared a program of great interest for the Friday evening and Saturday afternoon concerts this week, presenting for the first time in Pittsburgh the symphony in D minor by Dohnanyi, a celebrated pianist of Europe who appeared as soloist with the Pittsburgh orchestra a few years ago. The beautiful Serenade for string orchestra also has place, as well as brilliant numbers by Svendsen and Auber.

Ben Davies, the eminent Welsh tenor, will be the soloist, and will sing an aria from Weber's "Der Freischutz," and "Lohengrin's Narration" by Wagner. Mr. Davies first appeared in this country at the World's fair, Chicago, and later at the music festivals in Cincinnati under the direction of the late Theodore Thomas. He has sung in all the musical centers of Europe and is accounted the best concert tenor today in England. He is a singer of great emotional qualities and his interpretation of the Weber and Wagner numbers is sure to be memorable.

ATTACK CONSOLIDATION.

Attorney W. A. Stone Will Test Constitutionality of Greater Pittsburgh Bill.

Attorney William A. Stone, acting for those opposed to a Greater Pittsburgh, will file in court this morning a bill of exceptions to Mayor Hay's petition requesting the court to name a day for a special election to secure a vote on the question of annexation. The purport of this move is really an attack upon the constitutionality of the Greater Pittsburgh bill passed at the special session of the legislature.

Attorney Stone, it is said, will raise 22 questions to the bill, although he declines to discuss it. Attorneys D. T. Watson, George W. Guthrie and William B. Rodgers will defend the bill. If the lower courts approve the bill, Mr. Stone says his clients will take it to the supreme court.

Ex-Policeman Taken to Hospital.

Grant Stover, the policeman who lost his mind as a result of being discharged from the force, was yesterday taken to St. Francis' hospital. Stover had been drinking, and it is thought after treatment at the hospital his mind will be restored.

WASHINGTON NEWS NOTES.

Senator Hale of Maine declared that the general staff of the army is disposed to encourage and preparing for an invasion of China. He made this statement in a speech opposing the enlargement of the medical department of the army.

Senator Long advocated the passage by the senate of the bill admitting Oklahoma, Arizona and New Mexico as two states. He said Arizona is not now and never will fit for statehood, but that the only purpose now in antagonizing joint statehood for Arizona and New Mexico is to reserve Arizona for separate statehood in the future.

The house passed without discussion or opposition a bill for the relief of tobacco growers by permitting them to sell leaf tobacco without paying the tax of 6 cents a pound heretofore charged. The balance of the day was devoted to tariff discussion, the Indian appropriation bill being the vehicle to carry the debate.

In view of the widespread feeling regarding the effect of the Chinese boycott of American goods, Secretary Metcalf, of the department of commerce and labor, gave out a statement showing that the total exports from this country to China for the seven months ending January, 1906, amounted to $23,432,940, whereas for the seven months ending January, 1905, they equaled $28,862,689, or a total increase of $5,429,749.

Chairman Theodore P. Shonts of the isthmian canal commission, under examination all day by the senate canal committee, left the inference that he would gladly sever his connection with the Clover Leaf route if this was demanded. Mr. Shonts closed by urging congress to take action immediately on the type of canal to be constructed.

Arguments by counsel to the jury were begun in the trial of former State Senator Green of Binghamton, N. Y., charged with conspiracy to defraud the government.

A cablegram recieved at the state department from its agent in Santo Domingo states that the few remaining insurrectos at Monti Cristi have surrendered to the government there and that all is now quiet and tranquil in the republic.

The President has accepted the resignation of Past Assistant Paymaster George Deering, U. S. N., tried by court-martial and convicted of irregularity in his accounts.

The Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe, the Missouri Pacific, the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific and other western railroads were made defendants in a complaint filed with the interstate commerce commission by the Howard Mills Company of Wichita, Kan., all giving unjust discriminations in transportation rates on flour in favor of dealers, manufacturers and shippers of flour on the Pacific coast.

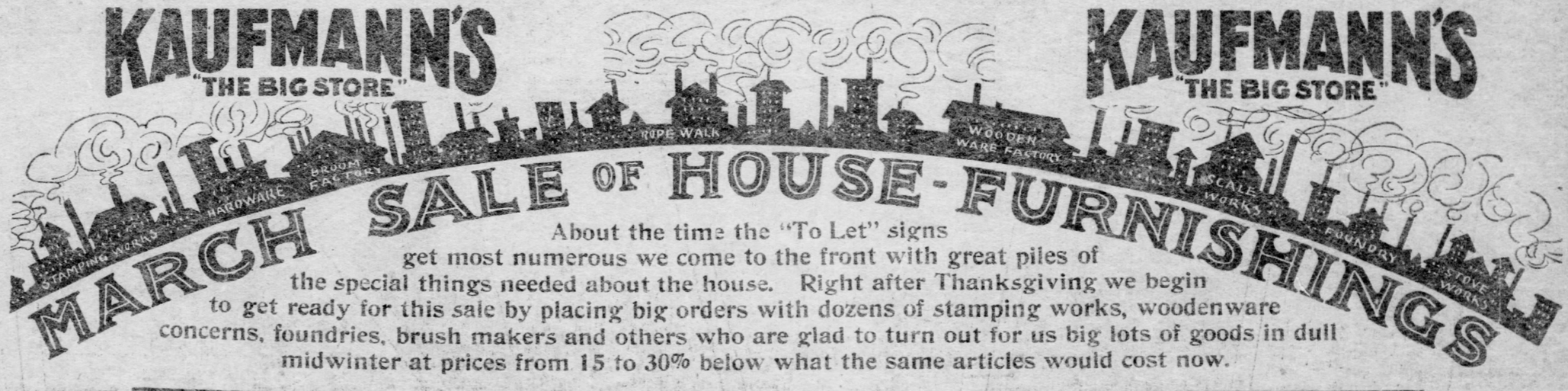
Viola Allen.

Viola Allen will be the attraction at the Nixon theater next week, appearing as Betty Singleton in Clyde Fitch's comedy, "The Toast of the Town." The advance sale of seats will open at the Nixon tomorrow morning. Miss Allen's good fortune in selecting a play has been phenomenal, and in two of her greatest successes, "The Christian" and "The Toast of the Town," she has impersonated an actress.

Guthrie is in Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, March 6.—(Special.)—George W. Guthrie, mayor-elect of Pittsburgh, arrived at the Bellevue-Stratford today from Atlantic City. He declined to discuss politics. Mr. Guthrie will remain in town until Thursday to attend a Masonic meeting.

KAUFMANN'S "THE BIG STORE"



KAUFMANN'S "THE BIG STORE"

MARCH SALE OF HOUSE-FURNISHINGS

About the time the "To Let" signs get most numerous we come to the front with great piles of the special things needed about the house. Right after Thanksgiving we begin to get ready for this sale by placing big orders with dozens of stamping works, woodenware concerns, foundries, brush makers and others who are glad to turn out for us big lots of goods in dull midwinter at prices from 15 to 30% below what the same articles would cost now.

"Diana" Gas Ranges—Full size, equipped with latest gas-saving devices; 16-inch oven and lower broiler..... 14.90

6-5-4—The best stove paint made, just the thing for repainting window screens. 19c

Japanese Table Mats—Prevent the finest table from being scorched by the hottest dishes—set of six for..... 17c

Galvanized Poultry Wire Netting — 2-inch mesh — 50-foot rolls—

1 ft. wide, 30c.
2 ft. wide, 60c.
3 ft. wide, 90c.
4 ft. wide, 1.20.
5 ft. wide, 1.50.
6 ft. wide, 1.80.

This Cotton Mop—with long handle, just the thing for porches, 29c

This Bread Box—Good size, nicely japanned and lettered... 39c

Strongly built Step Ladders—Made of kiln dried wood — well braced, having 1 ug. bucket shelf—
4 ft., 32c.
5 ft., 40c.
6 ft., 48c.
7 ft., 56c.
8 ft., 64c.

Good Whitewash or Kalsomining Brushes—The bristles firmly fastened in handle..... 15c

Household Paint—A can of our Superior ready mixed Household Paint, any color, shade or tint, 8c

Mayer's Famous Putz Cream—Makes old or tarnished brass or copper like new—can. 15c

Johnson Floor Wax—The best cleaner and polisher for hardwood floors, 1-pound cans. 33c

Galvanized Iron Wash Tubs—with wringer attachments—large size, 69c; medium, 59c; small. 49c

SPRING HERE, AHEAD OF THE CALENDAR

LATER on when higher prices prevail, you'll be glad you settled the question of your new Spring attire early. And in the meantime, you'll be the happy wearer of a garment that will cause other women to exclaim, "There goes a new Spring Suit!" or "Isn't that a swell Spring Coat!"

$10 Suit Sale Specially bought in New York last week and hurried through by fast freight—the swell $16.50 tailor-mades in this $10 sale. They're not commonplace suits by any means. Most cleverly have they been tailored of fine novelty gray worsteds and English mixtures in the new eton style, with deep fitted girdle—or the nobby hip-length jacket, collarless effect with full length coat sleeves. Skirts cut full in the new circular and pleated effects.

$16.50 Suit Sale $25 would be a willingly paid price for any of the charmingly modish tailor-mades in this special line at $16.50. Fine English panamas, novelty gray worsteds, checks, broadcloths and English Suitings are the materials. Fashioned in the prettiest new eton, hip-length jacket and pony coat styles, with three-quarter or full length sleeves. Finished with moire silk, braids, tailor straps and stitching. The skirts cut full with circular sides, pleated front and back or plain gored and kilted styles.

$22.50 Suit Sale Truly elegant tailor-mades of distinctive beauty—those in this $22.50 sale. $30 and $35 are what most stores would mark them. Made of Spring's most favored English panamas, novelty gray worsteds, English mixtures, checks, shadow plaids and broadcloths, in Alice blue, reseda green, heliotrope, rose, gray, navy and black. Smartest new eton, pony coat and hip-length jackets, beautified with vestees, braid straps, stitchings and moire silk. Newest full draped circular skirts with pleated front and back or plain gored flare and pleated models.

$33 Suit Sale Attractively "different" and well worth $40 to $50, the superb suits in this $33 line. We've marked them on the same basis as we bought them. Most winsome eton coats, medium and short length tight-fitting coats and the so-popular pony coats—made of fine chiffon broadcloth, chiffon panama in light pastel shades, mannish gray mixtures, worsteds and beautiful checks and shadow plaids.

2,000 Coats at 3 Prices

Authentic Spring styles which it is certainly a windfall of good luck to get so much under their real worth.

At $5 —Jaunty new Spring Coats well worth $8.50 and $9. Very latest effects in loose and fitted styles, made of tan coverts, cheviots, broadcloths and taffeta silks. All sizes 32 to 44.

At $6.98 —Swell Coats undoubtedly worth $10. Newest and cleverest short pony effects or fitted styles; also three-quarter length Tourist and College Box Coats, in silk lined tan coverts, English checks, gray mannish and plaid materials or broadcloths.

At $10 —At least forty elegant styles of new $14 to $16.50 Coats. Short and long effects, fitted or loose; also eton styles. Made of tan coverts, taffeta silks, broadcloths, cheviots, mannish gray plaids and check materials.

Purchase of Girls' Dresses

1,200 of these were carried away Saturday—the remaining 1,800 will go before Friday.

At 85c —Girls' Dresses that were made to sell for $1.50 to $2. Pretty all-wool plaids, checks and solid color cashmeres, neatly trimmed with buttons and braid; some lined throughout, others only waist-lined. Pleated and gathered skirts. Sizes 6 to 14.

At $1.98 —15 styles of Girls' $3.50 and $4 Dresses, made of all-wool cashmeres and the new check, plaid and fancy materials—regulation dress and blouse styles, with new circular, pleated or gathered skirts. All colors. Sizes 6 to 14.

At $3.98 —Very natty blouse and sailor suits, worth $5 to $7. Splendidly made of fine panamas, cheviots and serges, in tan, reseda, dark green, brown, red and blue. Silk embroidered or braid trimmed. Now extra wide pleated or circular skirts. Sizes 6 to 14.

The "Holmquist" Curtain Stretcher—Full size, on easle, with movable pins—especially adapted for stretching fine and delicate curtains,

The Wilson Toaster—Should be in every kitchen, toasts the bread perfectly all over in a jiffy and costs only..... 19c

Household Brooms—Large size— 19c

This Full Willow Clothes Hamper— 75c

Heavy Tin Wash Boilers—With covers; fit No. 8 size stoves, special this sale. 39c

Porcela—A perfect Cleaner and Polisher for Porcelain Enameled bath tubs, sinks, etc., (see it demonstrated)..... 10c

The "Dixie" Bread Mixer—Something that will appeal to every bread maker, come and see it demonstrated; 2c. size 1.75; 4 quart size..... 1.50

Veilings Special Sale Wednesday

HAVING bought 1,500 pieces of Veilings at a price way below their actual worth, we today inaugurate a sale of Veilings the like of which Pittsburgh has seldom, if ever, witnessed.

When a fad springs up for a certain color, an importer often gets stuck on some other colors. So it was with the importer of these veilings. We took all he had, together with all the odd pieces. The blue or brown may be missing from this style, or the black or green from that. Every color however is in the assortment.

Comprised are fine Chiffon Veilings, plain or embroidered, 18 in. wide—pretty Tuxedo Nets, dainty Complexion Veilings, chic spotted Maline Veilings, etc.

Among them are veilings which positively have sold right here in Pittsburgh for 25c and 50c.

What a splendid chance to provide yourself with a pretty veil for protection against the blustery March winds, when these 1,500 pieces are selling at only..... 15c yd

Specials for Wednesday Bedding

Hemmed Ready-made Sheets—size 81x90 in., as long as this special lot of 500 lasts—each... 50c

Pillow Cases — 5,000 nice ready-made Pillow Cases at 11c each. 3,000 of the regular 12½c Unbleached Pillow Cases, of good heavy weight, at..... 8c

Home-made Sheets—Double-bed size, having a felled seam—the 50c kind at..... 39c

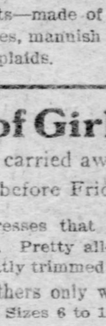
100 pairs of Bed Pillows—Covered with fancy denim and filled with perfectly sanitary feathers—regularly $2. Today, pair..... 1.50

Crochet Bed Spreads—Extra large size, neat Marseilles patterns, hemmed and fringed—regular price $2, this sale..... 1.25

Blankets—100 pairs 11-4 size Southern Made Summer Blankets of the regular $2 quality, at pair..... 1.25

Summer-weight Comforts—Covered with cambric-finished Silkaline, filled with laminated cotton, perfectly sanitary and almost as light and fluffy as down comforts—$3.50 values for.. 2.00

(Mail Orders Filled.)



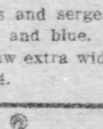
Housecleaning Sponges—Good size and good quality, for 8c.

Ammonia—Full pint bottle of extra strong ammonia, for only 8c

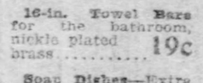
"Ever-Ready" Wall Paper Cleaner—The easiest to use, cleans the best paper without injuring the colors—2 cans 25c for 10c

16-in. Towel Bars for the bathroom, nickle plated brass..... 19c

Soap Dishes—Extra heavily nickle plated on solid brass, 39c.



Brass Curtain Pole Extenders, size 4x7 in., per pair, 6c



This Brass Sash Curtain Rod—Extending from 23 to 45 in., complete with fixtures..... 4c

Brassed Moulding Hooks, 5c doz.

Picture Nails with Porcelain Heads, 8c doz.

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COLLEGE AND NON-PROFESSIONAL SPORTING BY RICHARD R. GUY.

LONG SHOTS IN CALIFORNIA

Ralbert Takes the Favor Handicap at Oakland, and a 100-to-1 Horse Wins at Ascot.

FEW FAVORITES ARE WINNERS

SAN FRANCISCO, March 6.—A great surprise came in the fourth race, the Favor handicap, and the feature event at Oakland today, when Ralbert, at 20 to 1, managed to stagger home a winner. Tocolaw, the favorite, would have made five straight wins had he been able to capture the event, but Jockey Knap was unable to get him away to advantage and barely shared the place. Prince Magna, a recent arrival from Ascot, won from a fair field of sprinters, taking the third race from Jake Ward and The Hercobate as he pleased. Weather clear; track heavy. Summaries:

First race, 3½ furlongs—Silver Line, 11, Robinson, 11 to 2, won; Menden, 114, Dugan, 12 to 1, second; Reba, 111, Brussel, 7 to 1, third. Time, :42½. Saxonia, Jill, Lord Rossington, Mrs. Frank Newburgh, Tanana, Weatherford and Nopsey ran.

Second race, mile and a sixteenth—Liberto, 102, W. Kelly, 6 to 1, won; Expedient, 107, Graham, 7 to 1, second; Blackthorn, 119, Rice, 4, third. Time, 1:50⅘. Conger, Vigorous, Robt. Mitchell, Ten Oaks, Baker and Mike Jordan ran.

Third race, futurity course—Prince Magnet, 105, Fountain, 9 to 10, won; Bear Hunter, 98, W. Kelly, 30 to 1, second; Mogregor, 104, Brusnel, 30 to 1, third. Time, 1:12. Jake Ward, The Reprobate, Distributor, Jarretiere d'Or, Easy Street and Mischief ran.

Fourth race, handicap, futurity course—Rustic, 102, Brussel, 20 to 1, won; Tocolaw, 118, Knapp, 2 to 1, second; St. George, Jr., 107, C. Williams, 40 to 1, third. Time, 1:10⅘. Deutschland, Yada, Pelham and Dorado ran.

Fifth race, one mile—Lucian, 107, L. Williams, 2 to 1, won; Warrick, 110, Fountain, 15 to 1, second; May Hoilday, 105, Brussel, 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:43. Supreme Court, Chablis, Invictus, Jerry Hunt, Canejo and Oronte ran.

Sixth race, futurity course—Blumenthal, 107, Knapp, 11 to 10, won; Tam O'Shanter, 107, Brussel, 25 to 1, second; Sad Sam, 107, Rettig, 7 to 1, third. Time, 1:12. Homestead, Alice Carey, Dr. Sherman and Yellowstone ran.

OAKLAND ENTRIES WEDNESDAY.

First race—6 furlongs:

Prince Magnet	110	Haven Run	107
Olympian	110	Pickaway	107
Golden Sunrise	110	McGregor	107
Lurene	105	Sad Sam	107
Matt Hogan	107	Dr. Sherman	107
E. M. Brattain	107		

Second race—1 mile:

Ralph Young	109	The Lieutenant	105
Danglin	112	Lone Wolf	105
Dyrnerdale	106	Christine A.	105
Meisteranger	106	Judge Voorhees	102
Conger	98	Red Light	101

Third race—1 mile:

Grace G.	111	Grace S. Davis	110
Elagg	111	Valeureuse	107
Kamzack	110	Minta O.	107

Fourth race—1 1-16 miles, handicap:

Nine Spot	96	Soufriere	108
W. Muskoday	114	Solomon	97
Nealon	106	Rey del Mundo	90

Fifth race—5½ furlongs:

Veladay	105	Young Pilgrim	107
Head Dance	110	Misty's Pride	107
The Mist	107	Princess Titania	107
Sir Elward	107		

Sixth race—6½ furlongs:

Lisaro	105	Tom Roberts	110
Justfun	105	Eulletia	110
Bantam	107	Chantilly	110

Two New Jockeys at the Track.

NEW ORLEANS, La., March 6.—Judge Davey and Guiding Star were the only winning favorites at the Fair Grounds today. Redfern and Lyne both appeared in the saddle for the first time at the meeting, Redfern having three mounts during the afternoon. Lyne confined himself to working out the Morris Derby candidate, Lotus Eater. The weather was clear and the track fast. J. C. Ferris, Jr., has bought Colonel White on private terms. Summaries:

First race, half mile—Judge Davey, 113, Livington, 4 to 5, won; Dorothy M., 115, Bell, 17 to 5, second; Cold Circle, 118, W. Robbins, 4 to 1, third. Time, 49 2-5. J. J., Jr., Judge Wallace, Weather Vane, Friction, Glad Pirate, Quiet Sabe and Black Water also ran.

Second race, six furlongs—Electric Spark, 107, Bell, 9 to 2, won; Arabo, 110, W. Robbins, 4 to 1, second; Verandah, 96, Moreland, 18 to 5, third. Time, 1:14 3-5. Sir Francis H., Girdle, Tower, Tenny Burn, Teddy, Brookwood, Kings Charm, Ogontz, Brookston and Glen Callant also ran.

Third race, six furlongs—Tom Mankins, 110, C. Medlee, 40 to 1, won; Invincible, 110, H. Alexander, 10 to 1, second; Rout, 113, W. Robbins, 18 to 5, third. Time, 1:14 4-5. Hortensia, Monis, Celebration, Whipporwill, Gay Adelaide and Whorler also ran. Felix Mozzes was left at the post.

Fourth race, six furlongs, handicap—Guiding Star, 104½, W. Robbins, 9 to 20, won; Disobedient, 102, J. Johnson, 7 to 1, second; Cousin Kate, 106, L. Smith, 7 to 1, third. Time, 1:14. Pater Patri and Plater also ran.

Fifth race, 1 mile and a sixteenth—Uncle Henry, 115, Redell, 5 to 2, won; Lemon Girl, 115, Morcland, 15 to 1, second; Lena J., 98, J. Johnson, 9 to 10, third. Time, 1:49 4-5. Lady Free Knight, Shunpike, Benora, Roderick, Marvin Neal, Phiebus and Trogan also ran.

Sixth race, mile—Rolla, 108, Aubuchon, 6 to 1, won; Request, 95, F. A. Walsh, 30 to 1, second; Hamilner, 102, Redell, 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:45. Bitter Brown, Buttercup, Oberon and Chauncey Olcott also ran.

FAIR GROUNDS ENTRIES WEDNESDAY.

First race—5 furlongs, selling:

Philander	103	Shipwreck	100
Mazzini	104	Catherine R.	99
Quaint	104	Orifiame	96
Pride of Woodstock	103	Macy Bird	96
Wedding Ring	101	Globe Runner	96
Chauncey Olcott	104	Perfect	94
Profane	100		

Second race—4½ furlongs, 2-year-olds:

Black Mate	112	Judge Davey	100
Aid Fowell	106	Panetal	104
Quagga	105	Gold Circle	100
Big Store	105	John Healy	100
Lucy Marie	105	Ocean Own	97

Third race—6 furlongs:

Vanness	121	Mohave	110
Canyon	115	Deux Temps	99
Escutcheon	114		

Fourth race—1⅛ miles, handicap:

Logistilla	102	James Reddick	90
Rathland	104	Macy Jr.	88

Fifth race—1¼ miles, selling:

Schoolmate	111	R. F. Williams	104
Colonial	111	Stone Wall	103
Louis Kraft	110	Jerry Lynch	102
Sonoma Belle	110	Nine	102
Judge Himes	102	Lemon Girl	102
Merry Pioneer	102	Benora	89
Prince Salon Salm	106	Kenton	98
Hickory Cowper	104		

Sixth race—1 mile, selling:

Frank Rice	118	Flying Trapeze	108
Arabo	118	Jucora	105
Celebration	117	Louise Macfarlane	104
Gallant	117	Tegnus	95
St. John	113	Ella M.	92
Everetto	113	Daniel C.	91
Water Pansy	110	Little Rose	87

St. Tammany Under the Ban.

NEW ORLEANS, March 6.—Bon Mot and Meadow Breeze, which won the last two events on the card, were the only successful favorites at the Fair Grounds today. The track was fast. The stewards have ordered the refusal of the entry of St. Tammany in future, deeming his performances too inconsistent. Weather clear; track fast. Summaries:

First race, 3½ furlongs—Little Boot, 106, Romanelli, 25 to 1, won; Irene A., 103, J. Hennessy, 7 to 1, second; Black Flag, 103, D. Austin, 11 to 5, third. Time, 1:14 4-5. Bells of the Bay, Imposition, Beans, Border, Denlige, Charley Ward, George Duchascherer, Axelle and Sister Peggy also ran.

Second race, 1 3-16 miles—Sam Lee, 98, Heffernan, 4 to 1, won; Ben Vello, 116, D. Austin, 11 to 10, second; Small Talk, 105, Romanelli, 10 to 1, third. Time, 2:01. Loch Goil, Arab, Digby Bell, Rondin, Harnage, Miss Rillie, Harpoon, The Only Way and Wakeful also ran.

Third race, 1 1-16 miles, handicap—Sailor Boy, 97, J. Hennessy, 8 to 1, won; Tarp, 96, Koerner, 13 to 5, second; Garnish, 116, Romanelli, even, third. Time, 1:47 2-5. Devout also ran.

Fourth race, 5½ furlongs—Prince Brutus, 115, J. Daly, 4 to 1, won; Robin Hood, 120, Nicol 7 to 10, second; Astarita, 105, H. Grafton, 20 to 1, third. Time, 1:08 1-5. Precious Stone, Sam Craig, Pikora, Palatiale, Orbicular, Phebian, Northwood and Light Mac also ran.

Fifth race, 1 1-16 miles—Trenola, 114, D. Austin, 13 to 5, won; Woggle Flug, 103, Koerner, 8 to 5, second; Glanciare, 114, W. McIntyre, 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:48 3-5. Lieber Gore, Libation, Ann Hill and Maudina also ran.

Sixth race, mile—Bon Mot, 117, E. Morrison, 15 to 8, won; Arthur Cramer, 106½, G. Schiller, 7 to 2, second; Brushton, 109, Nicoll, 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:40 3-5. Orient and St. Tammany also ran.

Seventh race, 5½ furlongs—Meadow Breeze, 118, Larsen, 5 to 2, won; Dr. Mack, 110, Dealy, 30 to 1, second; Oratorian, 107, D. Austin, 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:08. Cerillan, Tom Combs, Kaza, Anna Smith Oliver, Poetry, Telepathy, Follow One Flag, Principia, Sudz, Field Lark and Mopsi also ran.

CITY PARK ENTRIES WEDNESDAY.

First race—4½ furlongs:

Rosarian	103	Kitty	100
Cold Trick	112	Leo Buch	107
Tom Dolan	114	Early Spring	105

GAZETTE RACE SELECTIONS.

CITY PARK—NEW ORLEANS.

First race—Coloqup, Add Trick, Tom Dolan.
Second race—Lutie Mac, Humpty Dumpty, Red Ruby.
Third race—J. Ed Grillo, Alcantara, Lineal.
Fourth race—Lucy Young, Emergency, Airship.
Fifth race—Incubator, Bert Orso, Dungannon.
Sixth race—Braden, Padre, Ingolthrift.
Seventh race—Gravina, Yachting Girl, Hymettus.

FAIR GROUNDS—NEW ORLEANS.

First race—Globe Runner, Perfect, Oriflamme.
Second race—Lucy Marie, Quagga, Big Store.
Third race—Escutcheon, Van Ness, Deux Temps.
Fourth race—Logistilla, Macy, Jr., James Reddick.
Fifth race—Schoolmate, Nine, Sonoma Belle.
Sixth race—Little Rose, Celebration, Arabo.

Coloquy	108	Mannie Cohen	105
King Brush	108	Edith M.	105
Spion	108		

Second race—1 mile:

Long Bright	112	Brick Top	109
Cel. Bartlett	109	Humpty Dumpty	109
Geo. Milner	109	Lutie Mac	107
Mayor Duncan	109	Sallie B. B.	107
Red Ruby	109	Governook	107

Third race—5½ furlongs, selling:

Kibosh	115	Immortelle	108
Major Carpenter	115	Dr. Mack	102
J. Ed. Grillo	115	Oak Cliffe	98
Alacantara	114	Mr. Scott	96
Woodshade	113	Mr. Wadleigh	99
Trompeuse	113	Suds	97
Lineal	111	Lether Gore	97
Zinda	109		

Fourth race—6 furlongs, handicap:

Emergency	131	Crojel	97
Pat Dooley	116	Billy Handsel	97
Wild Irishman	112	Darling	95
Airship	112	Tinker	94
Shawana	104	Don Fonso	93
April Shower	100	*Bric-a-Brac	90
Lucy Young	97	*Merely Mary Ann.	87

*Hayes entry.

Fifth race—1 mile, selling:

Incubator	114	Mindi Love	109
Arab	111	Dungannon	103
Mammon	111	Pert Osra	100
Phiora	111	Marco	106
Judge Traynor	110	Bassanio	106
Pathos	109	Oddoletta	100
Monochord	109	Del Carina	100
Algonquin	109		

Sixth race—1 mile, selling:

Careless	107	Braden	98
Ingolthrift	107	Lieut. Rice	98
Padre	100		

Seventh race—1¼ miles, selling:

Eclectic	108	Little Elkin	104
Gravina	107	Bradley's Pet	101
Hymettus	107	Bisque	98
The Trifler	106	Yachting Girl	97

A Surprise and a Disappointment.

HOT SPRINGS, ARK., March 6.—Telegrapher was the surprise and Bullfinch the disappointment at Oaklawn today. The improved racing of Telegrapher caused Judge Bryan to call owner W. H. Mallory into the stand for an investigation. No action was taken today, as one of the principal witnesses needed could not be located. Duchess Ollie, Convolo and Bitterhand were the winning favorites. Jockey Dennison carried off the honors of the day. Summaries:

First race, 5½ furlongs—Duchess Ollie, 104 (Helgesen), 12 to 5, won; Dresden, 104 (Cherry), 9 to 2, second; Young Saler, 104 (McIntyre), 9 to 2, third. Time, 1:09 2-5. Moorlen, Arco Spring, Dancing Nun, Bill Holt, Lady Waddell, Brimfull, McJetta, Joe Graham, Miss Cider and Fugitive ran.

Second, 6 furlongs—Convolo, 105 (McIntyre), 11 to 20, won; H. L. Frank, 111 (Mountain), 12 to 1, second; Black Pat, 105 (Shears), 12 to 1, third. Time—1:16. Platoon and Swing Corners ran.

Third, one mile—Telegrapher, 98 (Scoville), 6 to 1, won; Kittie Platt, 115 (McIntyre), 10 to 1, second; King Ellsworth, 115 (Helgesen), 6 to 1, third. Time—1:41 3-5. Bullfinch and Berlinga ran.

Fourth, 7 furlongs—Bitter Hand, 102 (Dennison), 5 to 2, won; Tomochichi, 110 (Wilson), 6 to 1, second; Vagabond, 104 (Callus), 13 to 5, third. Time—1:29 2-5. King Abyssinia, Kizel, Cadillac, Maggie Powers, Kingstonian, Miss Lingard ran.

Fifth, 5½ furlongs—W. G. Williams, 112 (Foley), 11 to 5, won; Dusky, 106 (Dennison), 8 to 1, second; Scalp Lock, 101 (Mountain), 6 to 5, third. Time—1:09 4-5. King Wilda, Miss Leeds, Binderton, Rely and Dangerous ran.

Sixth, mile and an eighth—Dolinda, 105 (Dennison), 7 to 2, won; George Vivian, 107 (Callus), 5 to 1, second; Aggie Lewis, 106 (McIntyre), 2 to 1, third. Time—1:58. Capt. Neroth, Male Hanlon, Dr. Hart, Athena and Hilee ran.

OAKLAWN ENTRIES WEDNESDAY.

First race—6 furlongs:

Tom Bona	106	Excitement	103
Martina	106	Luretta	116
Ghats	106	Haughty	109
Neudigo	110	Cottage Maid	109
Kate Zitt	110	Mafaida	114
Carnival	116	Jack Ratlin	114

Second race—4 furlongs, 2-year-olds:

Glendover	108	Belle Scott	113
Elksini	105	Nissa	100
Miss Martha	102	Jacomo	103

Third race—1 mile and 70 yards, Owners' handicap:

Taby Tosa	100	Jack Young	102
Lubin	110	San Primo	107
Convolo	104	Broomhandle	106
Barsaros	90		

Fourth race—6 furlongs:

Broomhandle	102	Lucullus	95
H. L. Frank	102	Penicuc	99
Aaron Jones	107	*Tea Phillpo	99
*Dr. Heard	97	Oro Viva	105

*Gardner entry.

Fifth race—3½ furlongs, 3-year-olds:

High Tide	115	*Maxim Gorky	110
Lamberting	115	Idalia	118
Mike Sutton	115	*Merchant	119

*Keene entry.

Sixth race—1 1-16 miles:

Chancy Thompson	103	Lazell	112
Rather Royal	103	Aten	104
Amberita	108	Harmakis	119
San Primo	112		

Long Shot Wins at Ascot.

LOS ANGELES, March 6.—Winners at the startling price of 100 to 1 are becoming the usual thing at Ascot, another in Belvoir coming in the opening event of today's card. The track was lightning fast. Embarrassment, at 15 to 1, stepped a mile in 1:39⅘ in the fourth race, winning from a crack field. Eugenia Burch was made favorite for this race, but finished fifth. Silver Wedding, George P. McNear and Foxhall were the winning favorites. Weather fine; track fast. Summaries:

First race, 6 furlongs—Belvoir, 115, Prenton, 100 to 1, won; Conde, 102, Harris, 9 to 5, second; Macumber, 104, McDaniel, 11 to 10, third. Time, 1:13⅘. Ingleside, Creston Boy, Ambitious, Kougrock and Demas also ran.

Second race, 5½ furlongs—Silver Wedding, 110, McDaniel, even, won; Finita, 105, Hudlin, 8 to 1, second; Mazapan, 112, Harris, 20 to 1, third. Time, 1:01. Sandstorm, Bauble, Suavita, Lady Travers, Astrea, Babe B., Ruination, Daisy Brouck and Heartful also ran.

Third race, 1⅛ miles—Needful, 115, Donovan, 5 to 1, won; Freesias, 114, Miller, 14 to 5, second; Ding Dong II., 106, Kunz, 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:53⅘. Huapala, John W. Dahnez, Roster and Jingle also ran.

Fourth race, 1 mile, handicap—Embarrassment, 100, Harris, 15 to 1, won; Morita, 100, McDaniel, 11 to 1, second; Goodluck, 105, Jackson, 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:39⅘. Fustian, Eugenia Burch and Gilpin also ran.

Fifth race, 1 1-16 miles—George P. McNear, 100, Jackson, 11 to 20, won; Dewey, 108, McDaniel, 11 to 1, second; Miss May Bowdler, 103, Palms, 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:47⅘. Hot, Vions, Gentle Harry and Blissful also ran.

Sixth race, 6 furlongs—Foxhall, 108, Jackson, 8 to 5, won; Evelyn Griffin, 95, Horner, 8 to 1, second; Amiara, 106, Miller, 7 to 2, third. Time, 1:13. Mazuda, Josie's Jewel, Starling, Stoesse and Sans-a-Sh Ma also ran.

ASCOT ENTRIES WEDNESDAY.

First race—Steeplechase, short course, handicap:

Decimo	168	Atlantico	139
Adams	150	Tramway	130
Cazador	126	Tizen	125
Marylander	155	William Parrish	125
Kubelik	127	Praemounit	120

Second race—1 1-16 miles:

Goodbus	111	McKee	106
Kinsman	110	Lehro	103
Sandalwood	107	Josie Wheeler	104

Third race—7 furlongs:

Astraea	105	Turkeyfoot	105
Carrick	110	Petty Penance	105
Sir Prinkley	110	Pleasant Days	107
Melino	107	Jack Hennessy	102
Swagger	107	Mohur	102
Sphereless	105	Ruination	100

Fourth race—1 mile:

The Gaddy	105	Cabin	99
Varietes	103	Bavarian	99
J. F. Donohue	103		

Fifth race—Futurity course:

Money Miss	109	Whom Bill	106
Don Dono	106	Hester W.	96

Sixth race—6 furlongs:

Willie Greer	111	Pachuca	104
Ultoria	110	Neurnsea	104
The Roustabout	107	Bologna	101
Huachuca	103	Lady Kisper	101
Regal	103	Lydie W. Rousman	101
St. Winnifrede	104	Smithy Kane	98

The Juniita A. C. is ready to book games with all 16 to 17-year-old teams. Along with most of their last year's players, the Juniitas have secured the following players: Johnson Clouse and McCormick. For games address S. H. Hess, 611 Union station, city.

THE OLYMPIAS LOSE TO FEDERALS

Proud Leaders Go Down by a Score of 100 to 80 After a Savage Game.

SWISSVALE IS FINALLY BEATEN

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Olympia	20	7	.741	Garfield	14	13	.519
Federal	18	9	.667	Union	14	13	.519
Vorwerck	17	10	.630	Glenwood	11	16	.407
Demmel	17	10	.630	Primrose	7	20	.259
Arlington	17	10	.630	Swissvale	6	21	.222
Crescent	16	11	.593	Friendship	6	21	.222

The twenty-seventh round of the Allegheny county pool league was played last night and the contests were, as a rule, one-sided. The closest game of the evening was that between Garfields and Swissvales, the Garfields winning out by the score of 100 to 97. The star player was Dopler with 42 balls, and the even playing of his teammates was first class. The Swissvale boys played their hardest to win, but were out-generaled, and they deserve credit for their gameness.

Union had it very easy with Friendship and put it on them by the score of 100 to 82. Black of Union had high score with 47 balls. Frankhauser of Friendship could not see the balls and had the small score of 3.

Demmel played at Primrose and had no trouble in winning. The star player was Clipper of Demmel, who pocketed 54 balls, which was more than the whole Primrose team combined.

The proud Olympias, the leaders in the race, came in from McKeesport with confidence and grand expectations that they would take the scalp of Federal, but were badly fooled. They went home greatly disappointed and wiser. The playing of McCabe, with 41 balls, and the excellent support given him by Ritchie and Birch were fine. Paul of Olympia played nice pool and had high score for his team with 38 balls. The Federals are playing a strong game and deserve to be where they are at present.

The Glenwood and Arlington game was won by Arlington by 100 to 45, which was a surprise, as Glenwood was expected to give them a harder tussle. Their star player, Meehan, was out of the game and this accounts for their poor showing.

The crack Crescents put it on the champion Vorwercks by the score of 100 to 96. They did not send in their score card, so the features of the game are unknown. Scores:

At Federal—				Olympia—			
Federal—							
Ritchie	31			Coulter	20		
Birch	29			Gleason	27		
McCabe	41			Paul	38		
Total	101			Total	85		

Scratches—Federal 1, Olympia 5. Referee—Jackson. Scorer—Forney.

At Garfield—				Swissvale—			
Garfield—							
Dapler	45			Morgan	36		
Yarbriing	35			Campbell	39		
Part	24			Freese	34		
Total	100			Total	109		

Scratches—Garfield 3, Swissvale 3. Referee—Weber. Scorer—Morton.

At Union—				Friendship—			
Union—							
Seawald	35			Frankhouser	3		
Black	47			Morehead	23		
Meredith	20			Arnot	9		
Total	102			Total	35		

Scratches—Union 2, Friendship 3. Referee—Lutz. Scorer—Edwards.

At Primrose—				Demmel—			
Primrose—							
Charles	16			Aul	19		
Sweeney	14			Clepper	54		
Burt	14			Coates	30		
Total	44			Total	103		

Scratches—Primrose 4, Demmel 3. Referee—Swan. Scorer—Beams.

At Glenwood—				Arlington—			
Glenwood—							
Valentine	12			Parker	42		
Merriman	26			Miller	32		
Wild	18			Rounds	31		
Total	56			Total	105		

Scratches—Glenwood 11, Arlington 6. Referee—Cashwell. Scorer—Chamatder.

At Vorwerck—Vorwercks 96, Crescent 100.

A meeting of the managers of the Allegheny County Pool league was held at this office yesterday at 2 p. m. and all representatives were present but Primrose and Friendship. The protest of Olympia with the Swissvales was brought up and a vote was taken, and the result was in favor of Swissvale, which was the only proper action to take, as Olympia had no ground for the protest. The committee on the schedule decided that the second game scheduled for March 27 was to be withdrawn and played after the end of the season, which will make these games to be played Friday, May 4. The changes of the players on the teams were few, Birch takes the place of Rutledge on Federal, Hays in place of Montgomery on Vorwercks, Stenger and Dietrich in place of Birch and Black on Arlington, Wild and Votek in place of Whitiker and Workman on Glenwood, Kehoe in place of Malloy on Crescents. Primrose will make two changes, but have not sent names of players resigning and players taking their place.

A billiard tournament is being arranged for the amateur championship of Bloomfield at the Friendship Billiard hall. There are some of the best amateur billiard players in this end of the county located in Bloomfield and when they come together will, no doubt, make the ivorys go some. There are nine men entered, as follows: H. Mayer, J. Cornfield, S. Mentzer, C. Catley, L. H. Cook, E. Meyers, J. Gemperle, G. Wehrheim and J. W. Green. The opening game will be played on Monday evening and there will be four games each week thereafter. The schedule will be published later.

In an exhibition pool game last evening the Eclipse team defeated the St. Augustine Casino team by 10 balls. Scores:

Eclipse—		St. Augustine—	
Jari	48	Skonetzni	27
R. Green	35	Hall	48
J. Waltz	36	Reslinger	24
Total	109	Total	89

Scratches—Eclipse 9, St. Augustine 3. Referee—Brigech. Scorer—M. Bohlsler.

Game in the Diocesan League.

St. Charles defeated St. Anthony last night on the St. Charles tables, the feature of the game was the playing of Kraus. St. Charles plays St. Joseph on the same tables Friday and bid fair to win again. Scores:

St. Charles—		St. Anthony—	
J. Bumert	21	H. Feodit	27
T. Gillig	38	C. Rossman	16
P. Kraus	45	G. Gintner	14
Total	104	Total	57

Scratches—St. Charles 4, St. Anthony 7. Referee—Hart. Scorer—Miller.

LOUIS CRIGER.
He lies dangerously ill at Hot Springs.

THE UNGERS DROP ONE GAME

Beaten by the Hazelwoods in the Last Round of the Season for Them.

DUQUESNE TAKES A SPURT

The Ungers, prospective winners in the Pittsburgh section of the Allegheny County league, went to Hazelwood, on the St. Joseph Casino alleys last night and rolled a splendid match. However, they were beaten by the Hazelwoods in the last game. The good work of Fitler and Reutzel was mainly responsible for the nick in the round of the Ungers. The Ungers began by rolling 984 and then went to 967. They evidently could not stand the strain, and in the last game put up 876 to Hazelwoods 890. Scores:

Ungers—				Hazelwoods—			
Milfelt	195	180	140	Fitler	181	158	200
Dienstbler	203	212	149	Reutzel	165	145	199
H. Hung'r	174	183	180	Lechner	159	148	149
Nicol	218	136	170	Schwinn	188	168	196
Meyers	199	196	187	Descent	186	142	176
Totals	984	967	826	Totals	882	784	890

Sharpsburg lost three straight games to Millvale in their last County league game of the season at Millvale last night. Boss Servatius was the star of the game, rolling high score of 221 and averaging 204. Scores:

Millvale—				Sharpsburg—			
Servatius	192	189	221	G. Bock	154	157	161
Hickey	138	187	170	Ringle	178	128	143
S. Jackson	162	155	167	Cunningham	159	131	166
Shaw	154	189	174	Hunter	144	147	142
Viard	159	140	161	Wilson	124	149	176
Totals	905	870	889	Totals	759	713	778

In a game, which furnished the highest individual score ever rolled on the Arcade alleys in McKeesport, the County league season in that section was wound up last night with a contest between the McKeesports and the Duquesnes, the latter five winning all three games. Khepley of Duquesne made the phenomenal score of 263 and had high average of 206. Other excellent scores were made by DeCoursey and Williams, each overshooting the 200 mark. Scores.

McKeesport—				Duquesnes—			
Sprout	143	188		Knepley	263	179	176
Meyers			146	Furlong	148	156	165
McCoy	154	189	199	Harnish	189	147	175
Skelley	153	172	163	Williams	172	213	147
Gilchrist	117	156	165	DeCoursey	202	181	200
Nunnimaker	153	169	189				
Totals	706	813	841	Totals	874	876	863

The postponed game between the Bloomfields and the Carricks was played last night on the Friendship alleys, and the Bloomfields won the three games. High score was made by Weber of the Bloomfiel team, with 185. Scores:

Bloomfields—				Carricks—			
Weber	177	185	180	Deilerle	149	143	168
Mangold	144	147	168	N. Brenda	132	182	148
Smith	146	148	166	Fugemann	139	163	188
Meier	171	159	185	Alborn	135	130	138
Berringer	161	144	155	Horner	149	148	129
Totals	805	780	853	Totals	794	754	720

In the South Side league last evening the Armbies had no trouble in defeating the Worries in a well played game. Scores:

Ormsbys—				Werries—			
T. Wagner	127	156	146	Miller	151	169	154
Moll	172	144	156	Kuebert	182	142	149
Rebbetz	139	198	152	Kuckert	158	156	205
Berhart	140	153	115	Kurth	146	166	206
Webber	121	127	110	Ashley	191	165	154
Totals	719	758	679	Totals	828	835	847

In the Liberty Valley league the Centrals defeated the Kenwoods in all three games. The best bowler was E. Kramer with an average of 202. Scores:

Centrals—				Kenwoods—			
Kolberg	176	203	163	Riddle	178	184	177
Brennen	150	146	194	McVey	153	137	184
E. Kramer	201	181	201		122		
Greb	167	149	147	Murphy		198	142
Mailbach	198	188	162	Scriber	198	125	146
				Seibel	184	152	167
Totals	881	876	858	Totals	810	744	816

On the St. Augustine alleys the Eagles took all three games from the Excelsiors. F. Bisselman was the star bowler with high score of 212. Scores:

Eagles—				Excelsior—			
Kress	178	146	164	E. Pottmeyer	174	115	122
S. Bisselman	147	176	160	Smithhammer	167	156	207
Smith	139	155	188	H. Pottmeyer	131	156	130
H. Fey	113	159	179	A. Fisher	148	150	131
F. Bisselman	184	212	170	A. Engle	140	133	117
Totals	781	848	859	Totals	760	690	708

On the West End Alleys last night the West Tractions took all three games from the Simons in a close match. High score was made by Wilsman with 193. The West End Tractions are fighting for first place in the Weston league. Scores:

W. E. Traction—				Simons—			
Mangar	78	77	79	Derr	93		
Wilsman	64	108	84	Brandis		100	80
Grounds	79	74	80	A. Dugan	76	84	76
O'Leary	91	83	73	Gundelfinger	93	69	78
Furongern	76	87	76	P. Dugan	78	72	72
				Minnick	75	71	67
Totals	388	426	396	Totals	385	393	373

On the Great Eastern alleys the Lulus beat the Colonials

LIVELY ACTION ON THE FLOORS

Tamaqua Team Smothers the Buhl Lads at Sharon by a Score of 57 to 36.

MANY OTHER GOOD CONTESTS

SHARON, PA., March 6.—Tamaqua smothered the Buhl basketball five tonight in a rough and snappy game, Smarting over the defeat last night at New Wilmington, the team took revenge on the Buhl five and put up one of the best games played here this season. The teamwork was good on both sides. The first half was played under A. A. U. rules and ended 28 to 14 in favor of Tamaqua. National rules prevailed in the second half. Lineup:

Buhl—36.		Tamaqua—57.
Clark	F	Fogerty
Lock	F	O'Donnell
Marquard	C	Mulliner
McQuiston	G	Hough
Davis	G	Wilson

Goals from field—Clark 4, Locke 3, Marquard 3, Davis 4, Fogarty 6, O'Donnell 6, Mulliner 6, Hough 7. Foul goals—Davis 2, Fogarty 1, Davis allowed one point for roughness. Referee—Thomas. Time—20-minute halves.

EXCITING BASKETBALL GAMES ARE COMING

For the first time in several seasons Butler's strongest organization of basketball players will oppose the South Side champions at Odd Fellows' hall. Several other teams from the Butler town have been seen here, but the team coming here next Saturday is the fastest that ever represented that city. This team is the one that defeated Tamaqua recently 31 to 22. The team will line up exactly as it did against the famous easterners, with the probable addition of Eddie Campbell, the ex-South Side player. Preparations are now complete for the annual invasion of the South Siders into East Liverpool next Friday night. The special train will leave Union station at 7:30 p. m., city time. The greatest series of basketball games ever arranged for this locality will take place shortly. Final arrangements are about complete and the champion South Siders and the Young Americans will meet on the floor for the first time in the history of local basketball. Both teams have conquered every other team in this locality, and battles royal can be anticipated.

Geneva College Loses to Monaca.

Monaca Y. M. C. A. first team defeated the Geneva College team here tonight in a fast game, 37 to 17. The all around playing of the whole Monaca team and the goal shooting of Laird were the features. Lineup:

Monaca—37.		Geneva—17.
Laird	F	Ridley
Glasser	F	Arthur
Ralph	C	Schuman
Brown	G	Metheny
Mitchell	G	McElhaney

Field goals—Laird 7, Glasser 4, Ralph 2, Brown 2, Mitchell, Ridley 2, Arthur 3, McElhaney 2, Starrett. Foul goals—Laird 5, Ridley. Referees—Markee and Shuman. Substitutions—Starrett for Schuman.

Sophomores Defeat the Juniors.

LEWISBURG, PA., March 6.—(Special.)—In the slowest game of basketball of the class series the Sophomores downed the Juniors this afternoon by the score of 25 to 17. Lineup:

Heinze	F	Loss
Leach	F	Gibney
Wagner	C	Lenhart
Fair	G	Niple
McNinch	G	D. Hawk

Goals from field—Heinze 2, Leach 5, McNinch 3, Loss 4, Gibney 2, Niple 3, Hawk 2, Lenhart 2. Goals from fouls—Lenhart, McNinch. Referee—Claypool. Time—20 minute halves. Substitution—Hayes for Gibney.

Sharpsburg Wins by Four Points.

Sharpsburg team won by a score of 16 to 12, defeating the McKees Rocks team. The feature was the team work of Sharpsburg. Lineup:

Sharpsburg—16.		McKees Rocks—12.
A. Thompson	F	Shannon
B. Thompson	F	Burkhart
Engbarth	C	Baukert
Crawford	G	Hutton
Hassenfritz	G	Frank

Field goals—A. Thompson, B. Thompson, Engbarth, Hassenfritz 4, Shannon, Burkhart 2, Baukart. Foul goals—B. Thompson, Hassenfritz, Hutton 3, Shannon. Referee—Lawrence.

Lyceum Boys Will Meet the Braddocks

Friday night the Pittsburgh Lyceum team will play the Carnegie team of Braddock. As the Braddock five lost only two games this season and these to the Young Americans, a spirited contest is looked for. This will be Lyceum's first game since the Tamaqua struggle, but the boys have been practising hard twice a week, thereby keeping in good shape. Manager McInery is trying hard to arrange a series of games with Zion Council, Butler, East Liverpool and South Side.

Bellevue Wins a Close Game.

Bellevue High school basketball team won from Shadyside academy fourth team yesterday at Bellevue by a score of 17 to 16. Lineup:

Shadyside—16.		B. H. S.—17.
Pfeil	F	Verner
Peabody	F	Kevan
Goff	C	Barnes
James	G	Church
Garber	G	Hill

Goals—Verner, Kevan, Barnes, 5; Pfeil, Peabody, Goff, 3; Miller, 3. Foul goals—Barnes, 2. Referee—Yeats. Substitution—Miller for Garber.

BASKETBALL NOTES.

The manager of the Neman Reserves basketball team is requested to call up 91 Sharpsburg and ask for A. C. Meyer.

The basketball five of Saltsburg want a game with a good team next Saturday night on the Saltsburg floor. Write Roy H. Bair, Saltsburg, Pa.

Tonight at Duquesne School hall the champion Duquesne school team will play the fast Lyceum Juniors for the midget championship.

St. John's Cadets have a few Wednesdays and Saturdays open for 8 and 9-year-old teams. Address Harry J. Gilbert, 3540 Charlotte St., Pittsburgh.

The Nationals of Allegheny would like to hear from all 10 and 11-year-old teams having balls. Address A. Giles, 1226 Arch street, Allegheny.

The Black Hawks will play the Mysterious five at Young's hall, Knoxville, tomorrow night. Roehn of the McKeesport team, will play for the Mysterious five.

Perrysville Reserves have Tuesday evening, March 13, open for a game at home. Leetsdale Reserves are preferred. Would also like to hear from the manager of the Sycamore Reserves in regard to championship games. Phone 1497-L Cedar or address John Fowler, 103 Chester avenue, Allegheny.

The East End Athletics will be in the game up to their heads tonight when they will play St. Johns lyceum on Lyceum floor. The following players report at 7:30 p. m. at corner of Liberty and Thirty-second streets: Stix, Leity, Fillanbaim, Saint, Amnet, Dierker, King, Knight, Byner and Robins.

The E. J. Torrances want a game for next Tuesday with some good 13-year-old team to be played in Torrance's hall. Expenses for seven men and the use of a bath house will be given to any team wishing this date, the following preferred: Bedford A. C., Millvale A. S., Sterling A. C. Address Wm. Krautman, P. O. box 1593, Pittsburgh.

HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS ARE EASY WINNERS

On Tuesday the girls' team of the Pittsburgh High school defeated the team of Y. W. C. A. on the latter's floor by a score of 61 to 1. The game started with many successive goals by the high school girls. Miss Carson, high school's jumping center, threw six goals from the center of the floor. The score at the end of the first half was 42 to 0. The stars for the high schools were Lambie and Carson, and for Y. W. C. A., Miller and Stark. Line-up:

Y. W. C. A.—1.		P. H. S.—61.
Miller (capt.)	F	Vockrodt
Stark	F	Lambie
B. Moorhead	C	Carson
Morrow	G	Klingsbacker (capt.)
Dressing	G	Johns

Field goals—Lambie, 20; Vockrodt, 8; Carson, 6. Fouls—Lambie, Miller. Referee—Miss Kirtland.

Zion Council Versus McKeesport.

Tonight in Zion hall, Zion Council will play the McKeesports. The line-up will probably be:

Zion Council.		McKeesport.
Moses	F	Tannehill
Resnick	F	Roney
Raphael	C	Myers
Isett	G	Cashdollar
Fisher	G	Stewart

Referee—Ralston of Young Americans.

Three Challenges for the Cup.

LONDON, March 6.—The entries for the Dwight F. Davis international lawn tennis cup closed today, with only three challengers, America, Australasia and Austria. The drawing for the preliminary pairs to decide which team will play the British holders of the trophy is expected to take place tomorrow.

THE THREE RIVERS

The stage of water at Davis Island dam at 6 o'clock last night was 8 feet and the river was falling.

CINCINNATI, March 6.—(Special.)—At 2 p. m. the Ohio river was 23.8 feet and falling. The river has begun to fall fast. This condition cannot last on account of the water which is coming from Pittsburgh and the prospect of water from the Kanawha within the next few days, many of the towboats which were tied up along the shore between here and Pittsburgh are rushing under full steam to reach head waters before there is a fall in the waters at Pittsburgh. Many of these boats sacrificed their crews and went up light to take out tows of coal. Clear and warmer.

WARREN—One foot 8 inches and falling. Clear and mild.

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STEUBENVILLE—Eleven feet 3 inches and stationary. Clear and cool. Down: Tornado, Rival, Exporter, Coal City, Harry Brown, James Meren, Volunteer. The Samuel Clarke ran on the bar at Bareks island and piled up barges and sunk one of them.

LOUISVILLE—Falling. In canal, 9.0 feet; on falls, 6.8 feet; on falls, 24.7 feet. Clear and cool.

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GALLIPOLIS—Sixteen feet and rising. Clear and cold.

POINT PLEASANT—Twelve feet 7 inches and rising. Clear. Up: Robert P. Gillam, Clifton, Tom Dodsworth, Greenland. Down: Tacoma.

SAM BROWN SINKS A BARGE.

First Accident Reported from the Coal Fleet Down River.

The steamer Sam Brown, which left here yesterday morning with 22 barges, sank one in the middle of the Ohio river at the lower end of Bakers island. Two other barges were grounded, but finally got off safely. No trouble is expected in raising the sunken barge, as not much water is over her.

The following shipments were made yesterday by the Monongahela River Consolidated Coal and Coke Company: Jim Wood, 22 barges; Boaz, 12 boats and 7 barges, and Sam Brown, 22 barges.

The boats which were taken out on the rise were loaded rather light.

The rivers were falling yesterday and it is not thought many other boats will be enabled to get out on the present rise.

The James O'Neill came in yesterday with a large tow of empties, and the J. B. Finley and the Raymond Horner are expected today, bringing empties.

There will be no packet arrivals in the local harbor today.

The Kanawha left yesterday afternoon for Charleston with a good trip of passengers and freight.

The transfer barge, which was beached several weeks ago just above the Smithfield street bridge, is now almost covered with water, and is lying near one of the outer piers.

Lawson on Insurance Graft

In Everybody's for March, Lawson tells how the recent Insurance investigation was "steered" by the "System," making McCall and McCurdy the scapegoats; checking only the petty abuses, and glossing over and protecting the greater grabs (millions of dollars), directly traceable to the "System" and its generals.

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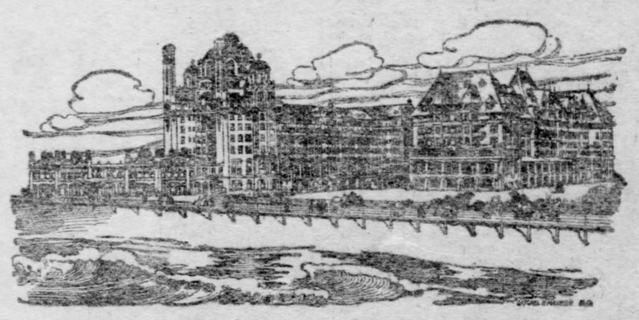

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Brilliant Church Wedding.

One of the largest weddings of the spring will be that of Miss Alice Scott, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert R. Scott, of Meadow street, East End, who will wed Dr. Clarke M. George on Wednesday evening, April 25. The wedding in the Sixth United Presbyterian church at 7:30 o'clock, will be followed by a large reception at the Hotel Schenley. The Rev. Dr. Robert George, a brother of the bridegroom, will be assisted in the marriage ceremony by the Rev. Dr. Robert M. Russell, pastor of the Sixth church. Miss Scott will be given away by her father and will have but one attendant, Miss Cornelia Smith, who will then be Mrs. Harry Edwards as her marriage to Mr. Edwards is dated for March 14. Dr. William Irish will serve as best man for Dr. George and the ushers will include Thomas Scott and William Scott, brothers of the bride; Dr. Ross Andrews and Dr. S. N. Fool, of this city, and Dr. Harry Golden, of Middletown, O. No plans have yet been made as to where the bridal couple will live at the conclusion of the honeymoon tour.

Plans for an April Wedding.

Miss Mildred Andrews has chosen Thursday, April 19, as the date for her wedding to Arthur Coe Martin. It will take place in the First Methodist Protestant church, Aiken avenue and Howe street, at 7:30 o'clock in the evening, and the Rev. Dr. Frank Lewis, pastor of the church, will officiate. Miss Eva Brown will attend Miss Andrews as maid of honor, and the bridal procession will also include six bridesmaids, Miss Alice Moore, a cousin of the bride; Miss Fanny Grimes, Miss Gloria DeWees of Philadelphia, Miss Anna Nolan, Miss Belle Brown and Miss Lillian Cunningham. Earl Sherwood Martin, a brother, will serve as best man for Mr. Martin, and the ushers will include Joseph P. Andrews and several college friends. A small reception will follow the church ceremony at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Anna Moore Andrews, in Ophelia street, Oakland, and after their wedding trip Mr. Martin and his wife will live for a time with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sherwood Martin in Atlantic avenue.

Will Have Quiet Wedding.

The wedding of Miss Cornelia Smith to Harry Edwards of New York city, will take place very quietly next Wednesday afternoon at the home of the bride's sister, Miss Alice Smith, in Meadow street, East End. There will be no attendants, and only the immediate relatives and most intimate friends of the bridal couple will witness the ceremony. The Rev. Dr. W. S. Fulton, pastor of the Point Breeze Presbyterian church, will officiate. Noon is the hour set for the ceremony. Mr. Edwards and his bride will tour the northern part of New York state on their wedding trip, and will live in New York city. They expect to return to Pittsburgh for the Scott-George wedding on April 25. Miss Smith is a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Smith, of this city.

The Walker-Gregg Wedding.

Quite an important date just added to the social calendar for the spring, is that for Miss Janet Walker's wedding to Dr. Edward Gregg, Thursday, April 26 is the date selected by Miss Walker. The wedding will take place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Walker, in Western avenue, Allegheny, and will be one of the most interesting of the many weddings scheduled for the post-Lenten weeks. The engagement of Miss Walker and Dr. Gregg was announced during the holidays at a family dinner given by Mr. and Mrs. Walker at the North Side home.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Hay Walker returned last evening from their wedding trip. They went at once to the home Mrs. Walker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Wood Friend in Ellsworth avenue, and today will take possession of their apartments at the Hotel Schenley. They returned to Pittsburgh sooner than was expected, Mrs. Walker was Miss Rebekah Jane Friend, and the wedding was a fashionable event of January in the Shadyside Presbyterian church. She and her husband spent their honeymoon at the various Florida resorts.

Barr-Grabowsky.

Very quietly, at the residence of the officiant, the Rev. C. H. Geissinger, in Copeland street Mrs. Crozier Barr and William Grabowsky were married at 6 o'clock last evening. There were no attendants and only a few friends of the couple witnessed the ceremony, following which a wedding supper was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grabowsky in Fifth avenue, Oakland. During the evening the bride and bridegroom began their wedding trip to eastern cities. They will receive their friends after June 1 in Fifth avenue, Oakland.

Hunter-Libbey Wedding Today.

At her wedding to James Templeton Libbey this afternoon, Miss Maude Hunter will wear a traveling suit of blue. The Rev. Dr. J. D. Irons, a former pastor of the Oakmont United Presbyterian church, of which the bride was once a member, will perform the ceremony at 5 o'clock. The bridal couple will be unattended. Only the members of the two families will be present at the wedding and, after the dinner, Mr. Libbey and his bride will begin their wedding trip. They will make their home in Watts flats, New York.

Will Wed During Easter Week.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. James Richey, Jr., in North avenue, Allegheny, will be the scene of the wedding of their daughter, Miss Helen Mary Richey, and Edwin M. Bosworth of Colorado Springs. Miss Richey has chosen Tuesday, April 17, as the day for the event which will be quietly conducted.

Notes of Society.

Mrs. H. S. Gilson gave a fancy work party yesterday afternoon at her home in Beaver street, Sewickley, in honor of Mrs. Emma S. Sproulls of New Alexandria, Va., who is her house guest. Twenty-five guests were entertained.

GOLDEN WEDDING DAY.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Jordan of Bunola Round Out Half a Century of Happy Married Life.

Surrounded by their children, grandchildren and a large party of friends, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Jordan of Bunola yesterday celebrated their golden wedding anniversary at the home of their daughter, Mrs. N. W. McElravey, 518 Hazel street, McKeesport. Congratulatory addresses were made by the Rev. H. E. Griffith, pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal church of Elizabeth, and by C. A. McElravey, and the aged couple were presented with a number of appropriate gifts.

Mr. Jordan is 76 and his wife 69. Both are natives of McKeesport, were married in that place and spent the first 20 years of their married life there. Subsequently they moved to Elizabeth, and for the last 15 years they have lived in Bunola. Mr. Jordan was a blacksmith, but retired a number of years ago. Both he and his wife are in excellent health. Eight children were born to them, of whom five survive. They are Mrs. McElravey, Mrs. H. C. Peterson of Homestead, John, of Monongahela City, Bert of Homestead and Frank of Elizabeth. All the surviving children and the 17 grandchildren were present yesterday at the celebration.

A New Departure for Women.

Miss Alys Smith, who is by profession a journalist, has been given a farm in the Orange Free State by the British government, in order that she may teach women the science of farming.

The terms of her freehold state that pupils must be Englishwomen. As everyone knows, the Dutch women are as well versed in raising crops and caring for stock as the men, and the men are proverbially successful farmers.

England has a number of schools of farm gardening for women, but this is one of the first attempts at the colonization of their self-supporting womanhood.

THE CLUBS

Contributions to this department must bear the name and address of the writer to insure attention.

Should Women Vote?

Should women vote was the question brought up before the members of the Woman's club of Pittsburgh yesterday afternoon. It was "Woman's Day" and the subjects "Woman's Legal Status," and her place in society, were discussed by almost every one present. Several advocates of equal suffrage had their innings, but the anti-suffrage women gave little quarter, and at the close of the meeting the honors were about evenly divided. Mrs. Annie E. Smith read a carefully prepared and interesting paper which presented in the simplest terms woman's place in the laws of the state. Mrs. Smith spoke particularly of the property laws and showed a greater number of effective laws for the protection of the property of men than of women, whether married or single. The concensus of opinion at the close of the afternoon was that in order to secure better laws for women in Pennsylvania the women must be able to vote. Mrs. W. C. Butterfield was the leader for the afternoon. Miss Matilda O. Hays presented "The Woman in Society."

The club yesterday voted to join the Pittsburgh Playgrounds' association, one of its members, Mrs. Robert D. Coard, being a vice president of that association, and another, Mrs. Charles R. Wray, being secretary. Miss Cora Reese and Mrs. Charles W. Gerwig will be the club's delegates to the biennial, Mrs. Florence R. Wade and Mrs. Albert Blumberg being the alternates.

John Hart Chapter's New Banner.

A special feature of the Colonial tea which the John Hart chapter, Children of the American Revolution, will give on Friday afternoon from 4 o'clock until 7 will be the unfurling of one of the handsomest silk flags ever seen in Pittsburgh. It has been purchased with the funds of the chapter by the flag committee, Mrs. Francis Henry Wade and Mrs. William H. House. The flag is of the United States army regulation size, and is made of the finest silk trimmed with gold fringe cord and supplied with seven inch gold tassels and cord. The stars are embroidered in white silk. The flag is attached to a highly polished ash staff surmounted by a large gold eagle, beneath which is a silk penant bearing the words in white silk, "John Hart Chapter, Children of the American Revolution." Mrs. Francis Henry Wade will make the presentation speech and deliver the flag into the hands of the chapter's color bearer, Master Vincent Imbrie, who will receive it on behalf of the chapter.

The "strong box" of the chapter, in which guests may deposit their offerings for the scholarship for some child of less than 14 years of ago, who is to be taken from work and supported in the public schools, will be guarded by two gallant little minute men, William G. Willson and William H. House, Jr., in full uniform.

Appoints Local Civic Workers.

Mrs. W. H. Phillis, president of the Woman's Civic Club of Wilkinsburg, yesterday appointed the civic committee of that club, assigning its members to the different departments of work in congress of Women's clubs of Allegheny County. With other women appointed from other clubs they will compose the department committees. The appointments made yesterday include the following: Hospital department, Mrs. Amanda Jones; educational, Mrs. Emma Phillips; sanitation, Mrs. Edward Stehl; forestry, Mrs. Katherine Briggs; parks, Mrs. R. C. Gray; public baths, Mrs. Theodore Stonerod; tenement houses, Mrs. R. B. Clark; streets and garbage, Mrs. F. J. Haas; smoke abatement, Mrs. Emma Speer.

The meeting of the Woman's Civic club of Wilkinsburg was held yesterday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Edward Stehl in East End avenue. The subject announced for discussion was postponed until the next meeting. Then "The Working Girl, and How We Can Help Her" will be taken up by several speakers.

Study Great Russian Rulers.

The Bellevue Woman's club in its program yesterday took up the study of the lives of several of the greatest of Russian rulers. Miss Cora Wallace opened with a biographical sketch of Peter the Great, outlining some of his ambitious schemes for his people's greatness. Catherine the Great, and Nicholas I. formed the subject of a paper prepared by Mrs. J. W. Davenny and read by Mrs. George W. Heckel. Modern subjects were taken up in the discussion of current events by Miss May Finley, in which every woman present joined. They talked of the immigration problems, the probability of a war in China and the ravages of the famine in Japan. This club was only organized last fall. It has planned no civic work for the present year, but is considering taking up some outside interest next season.

Complete Arrangements for Dog Show.

A special meeting of the Farmington Aid society will be held next Monday morning in the Lincoln hotel at 11:30 o'clock. Arrangements will be made at that time for cups, medals and ribbons to be awarded at the toy dog show which will be held in the ball room of the Hotel Schenley on April 25. In order that the society may know the number of cups and medals which will be needed for awards on that occasion it is necessary that the entries be made early, before next Monday if possible, that the number of classes to be judged may be determined. The president of the society, Miss Isabel Chalfant, will preside at the meeting, but expects to leave that evening for the south to remain until near the end of Lent.

Quarterly Meeting of Association.

The Allegheny County Equal Rights association will meet in the assembly room of the Central Young Women's Christian association tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. This will be the quarterly meeting and reports of the delegates to the national suffrage convention in Baltimore in February will be presented. Reports will also be made by local auxiliary clubs of their arrangements for a series of public meetings in the interest of equal suffrage for men and women.

Sorosis Election Today.

Pittsburgh Sorosis will hold its annual meeting today together with the election of officers. A feature of the afternoon will be an illustrative recital given by Prof. Morrow, who will illustrate his talk by piano numbers. Sorosis has a custom of not re-electing its officers, so that the president and her associates never expect to remain in office more than one year. The nominating committee appointed several weeks ago has presented a ticket containing two nominations for each office, and there is a great deal of interest over the outcome. The committee is composed of Mrs. W. A. Black, Mrs. W. H. Denniston and Mrs. J. H. Johnston.

Address by John Babey.

The Hon. John Babey of Springfield, O., will speak at the public meeting which will be given in the Central Young Women's Christian association building under the auspices of the Woman's Civic Club of Wilkinsburg on Thursday evening, March 22. The subject of the address will be "The Educational Ballot." Mr. Babey was instrumental in securing the ballot on educational questions for the women of Ohio, and will tell something of the propaganda in the neighboring state before the women were permitted to vote on school questions.

Brilliant Meeting of Musical Club.

Mrs. Frank Moore arranged the program which was presented yesterday afternoon by the Tuesday Musical club in the ball room of the Hotel Schenley. After the musical program, which was exceptionally enjoyable tea was served. The ball room was prettily decorated with palms and spring flowers, the decorations being principally massed upon the small stage. The program was presented by Miss McCloy, vocalist; Miss Wilson, violinist; Miss Murdock and Mr. Sterner, pianists, and Mr. White, 'cellist.

Studying French.

A small French club meets every Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Paschal Carr in Ridge avenue, Allegheny, for the study of French literature and conversation. The club is in charge of Mlle. Levy and is composed of Mrs. Carr, Mrs. John H. Ricketson, Miss Isabel Chalfant, Mrs. E. W. Pargny, Mrs. William G. Park, Mrs. Harmar D. Denny, Miss Ada McCrea and Miss Gertrude Irwin.

Will Appoint Committees.

The regular meeting of the Pittsburgh Playgrounds association will be held tomorrow morning at 10:30 o'clock in the assembly room of the Twentieth Century club. The meeting will be an important one, and it is expected that committees will then be appointed to take charge of the work during the coming season.

About the Paper Bag.

It is well that housewives should know that paper bags are made of a compound of rags, lime, glue and similar substances mixed with chemicals and acids. When dry these can do no harm, but if allowed to become damp, a paper bag is an unfit receptacle for food. Never, therefore, keep food that is of a damp or juicy nature in a paper bag.

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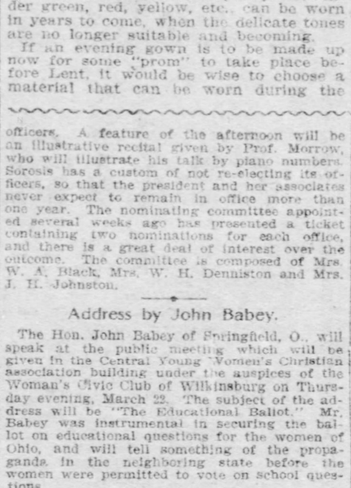

(No. 5228.) Girls' Box-Pleated Dress.

Box-pleated effects are very popular for children's dresses and are equally suitable for the heavy wash materials and the woolen fabrics. As illustrated, it was made of dark red serge. The body and skirt are in one piece, the closing being in the front under the center box-pleat. Prettily shaped wrist bands finish the full bishop sleeves and a belt of the material worn around the waist. Cashmere serge, mohair and pique in white or colors could be used with good effect in developing this mode. The medium size requires 3¼ yards of 36-inch material.

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SIMPLICITY THE KEYNOTE OF YOUNG GIRL'S EVENING GOWN

There are always college "proms" and school dances from the spring right up to commencement and these festivities are essentially for the young girl not yet out. Conservative mothers always insist that the neck of the evening bodice shall be filled in with lace or net while daughter is yet in school, although there is no possible objection to the rounded Dutch neck by which the throat alone is exposed. This style of garment is at once becoming and comfortable, which accounts for its continued popularity.

It is a mistake to dress a girl too elaborately while she is still at school, but when once a debutante, while the colors are youthful, the gowns are bound to be handsome and expensive. For the year before them such materials as net, point d'esprit and even lawn attractively trimmed with lace and hand tucking, all are pretty. A taffeta or satin finished silk dress will be very serviceable, and if there are dances on hand, some such gown is necessary. White, pale blue and pink, according to which is the most becoming, seem the accepted shades, and indeed no colors are ever so pretty. Lavender green, red, yellow, etc., can be worn in years to come, when the delicate tones are no longer suitable and becoming.

If an evening gown is to be made up now for some "prom" to take place before Lent, it would be wise to choose a material that can be worn during the summer, for the outfit next year will need to be made up quite regardless of any left-over gowns, so that this year's dress had best be worn out during the spring and summer. Short dancing dresses are not so popular this year as last, and in all probability will not be worn at all in a few months, so that there had better be a slight train. Exaggeratedly long trains are as much out of favor as the short skirts just now, a great saving, for it is impossible to hold up successfully a long train of net or chiffon. The ribbon loops, fastened to the skirt in back in just the right position that when the other end is slipped over the hand it will hold up the train without mussing the delicate material, are a great help. This loop may be of ribbon, the shade of the gown, or of the material itself.

Princess gowns are, of course, very fashionable, but wide ribbon girdles are also in vogue, and the princess and empire gowns are not so apt to be becoming to young girls as the more youthful style of dress. There are, however, in the empire styles some charmingly pretty models of net falling loose from the shoulders over a perfectly fitting satin lining. In silk and crystalline accordion and side plaited dresses are still in fashion, and this style of gown needs very little lace or trimming of any kind. A handsome lace bertha with a little lace in the sleeves is really all that is necessary.

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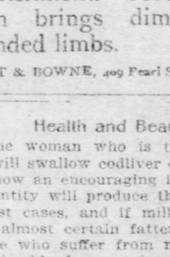

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No.	Estates of	Accountants	Filed.
2	Porter, James Edward and James Ross	Huss, S. R., Guardian	February 3, 1906
3	Rice, Abraham	Brogan, Edward, Administrator	February 3, 1906
4	Ruppen, Joseph	Ruppen, Andreas, Executor	February 3, 1906
5	Norris, Robert	Norris, Jane, Administratrix	February 3, 1906
6	Hostetter, Rosetta R.	Hostetter, D. Herbert, Executor	February 3, 1906
7	Shoenberger, George K., Jr.	Robinson, James A., Administrator	February 3, 1906
8	McCullough, Adam	Curry, W. C., Administrator	February 3, 1906
9	Mauch, John P.	Mauch, F. A., Executor	February 5, 1906
10	Stolte, August	Zuse, Albert F., Administrator	February 5, 1906
11	Lock, Samuel	Monongahela Trust Co., Administrators	February 6, 1906
12	Pudersnick, Katherina	Vilk, Joseph P., Administrator	February 6, 1906
13	Caban, Michael	Vilk, Joseph P., Administrator	February 6, 1906
14	Oliver, Robert A.	International Savings & Trust Co., Trustee	February 6, 1906
15	Siebert, Mary E.	Snyder, W. J. K., Executor	February 6, 1906
16	Taylor, Mary L.	Poage, Pauline, Executrix	February 6, 1906
17	Rice, Susanna B.	Henning, M. H., et al., Executors	February 6, 1906
18	Keast, Mary Agnes	Keast, George F., Administrator	February 7, 1906
19	Phillips, John M.	Phillips, Frank H., Administrator	February 9, 1906
20	Barle, Henry	Barle, Rosina, Administratrix	February 9, 1906
21	Matassa, Francesca	Natali, Joseph, Administrator	February 9, 1906
22	Volpe, Raffaele	Natali, Joseph, Administrator	February 9, 1906
23	Galielli, Pancrazio	Natali, Joseph, Administrator	February 9, 1906
24	Mazillo, Antonio	Natali, Joseph, Administrator	February 9, 1906
25	Day, Matthew	Day, Howard, Administrator	February 9, 1906
26	Berdisz, John	Ehde, G. A., Guardian	February 10, 1906
27	Kraetner, Susannah	Gribben, Henry, Administrator	February 10, 1906
28	Vogel, Louis	Vogel, Louis H., Executor	February 10, 1906
29	Pscheide, Wenzel	Henning, Wm., Administrator	February 14, 1906
30	McDonough, Penelope	Kelliher, Owen, Executor	February 15, 1906
31	Williams, Harry and Edna	Hill, John F., Guardian	February 13, 1906
32	Thompson, Hannah A.	Hays, Charles H., Administrator	February 12, 1906
33	Ulrich, John	Ulrich, Mary E., Executrix	February 13, 1906
34	Ord, Ralph	Ord, Lillie, Administratrix	February 13, 1906
35	Kemmerer, Katherine	Bialas, R. F., Executor	February 13, 1906
36	Craig, Annie	Craig, John, Administrator	February 13, 1906
37	Reuschlein, John	Huselton, E. C., Executor	February 14, 1906
38	Yoder, Bessie May, et al.	Mercantile Trust Co., Guardian	February 15, 1906
39	Hoffman, Margaretha	Burgy, Emil, Executor	February 15, 1906
40	Cooper, Elizabeth	Rifle, E. J., Administrator	February 15, 1906
41	Bell, Annie	Bell, Albert J., Executor	February 16, 1906
42	Fisher, Elsie G.	Fisher, J. Arter, Administrator	February 16, 1906
43	Hockschwender, Mary Ann	Weaver, Leonard, Executor	February 16, 1906
44	Herbert, John D. F.	Herbert, Mrs. Mary, Administratrix	February 17, 1906
45	Haertel, Ida F.	Bauer, Jacob, Administrator	February 17, 1906
46	Davis, Hattie A.	Davis, Joseph M., Executor	February 17, 1906
47	Chamberlain, D. C.	Croco, I. W., Administrator	February 19, 1906
48	Lockhart, Charles	Lockhart, James Henry, et al., Executors	February 19, 1906
49	Hershey, John	Hershey, Elizabeth C., Executrix	February 19, 1906
50	Farrell, Mary Agnes	Farrell, Mary Ann, Administratrix	February 19, 1906
51	McCalmon, Mary Ellen	McCalmon, George A., Guardian	February 12, 1906
52	McCalmon, Martha B.	McCalmon, George A., Guardian	February 19, 1906
53	Johnston, Robert S.	Johnston, William J., Administrator	February 19, 1906
54	Reichman, Marten	Reichman, Nathan, Administrator	February 19, 1906
55	Liggett, Thomas	Liggett, Findley W., Executor	February 20, 1906
56	Hamerly, Fountain R.	Hamerly, Teress, Administratrix	February 20, 1906
57	Fecke, Wilhelm	Roepke, Augusta, Executrix	February 20, 1906
58	Power, Henry J.	Power, M., Ada, Administratrix	February 20, 1906
59	Harris, John	Harris, Maria, Administratrix	January 2, 1906
60	Riding, Joseph	Riding, John, Administrator	February 21, 1906
61	McCracken, Mary F.	Roose, Arthur E., Guardian	February 21, 1906
62	Kopisak, George	Firestone, Henry, Administrator	February 21, 1906
63	Hermes, Nicholas	The Duquesne Trust Co., Administrator	February 23, 1906
64	Mackey, Michael	Deere, Terrence M., et al., Executors	February 22, 1906
65	Lowe, Seneth	Wachob, J. T., Administrator	February 23, 1906
66	Vogel, Sybilla	Fink, John, Executor	February 23, 1906
67	Watt, Mrs. Elizabeth	Baxtee, E. J., Administrator	February 23, 1906
68	Chipman, William	Chipman, Mrs. Phoebe, Administratrix	February 23, 1906
69	Miller, Mary	Daub, Theodora G., Administrator	February 23, 1906
70	Todt, Rosina	Todt, John F., Executor	February 23, 1906
71	Rice, William Henry	McElroy, Robert T., Guardian	February 24, 1906
72	Donnelly, J. Frank	Holden, Catherine, Administratrix	February 24, 1906
73	Hays, Jane	McKown, James O., Executor	February 24, 1906
74	Golmer, Frederick W.	Golmer, Isabella, Administratrix	February 24, 1906
75	Gertner, Christopher	Stamin, Magnus C., Administrator	February 26, 1906
76	McKeefrey, Mrs. Jane nee Edwin, Jane Tracy	Erwin, Kate, Guardian	February 26, 1906
77	McCarthy, Edward F.	McCarthy, Mary J., Guardian	February 26, 1906
78	Carson, Frank P.	Carson, Katherine S., Administratrix	February 26, 1906
79	Spealman, Sarah A.	Spealman, William F., Executor	February 26, 1906
80	Trich, Ann	Evans, James, Executor	February 26, 1906
81	Fischer, Adam	Fischer, George, Executor	February 26, 1906
82	McCawley, Rebecca	Neely, Thomas W., Administrator	February 26, 1906
83	Klopfer, Christian F.	Swearingen, J. M., et al., Executors	February 27, 1906
84	May, Michael	Eichenaub, Edward, et al., Executors	February 27, 1906
85	Gorman, Margaret	Kennedy, E. S., Executor	February 27, 1906
86	Reineman, Kurt E.	Dollar Savings Fund & Trust Co., Guardian	February 27, 1906
87	Macferron, Robert C.	Dollar Savings Fund & Trust Co., Executor	February 27, 1906
88	Gross, Frank	Gross, Mary, Administratrix	February 27, 1906
89	Strathern, Allan	Strathern, James N., Administrator	February 28, 1906
90	Buermann, Charles	Ahlborn, Charles A., Executor	February 28, 1906
91	Rapport, Jennie M.	Rapport, David, Administrator	February 28, 1906
92	Mueldner, George	Partington, James V., Administrator	February 28, 1906
93	Mueldner, Anna Magdalena	Partington, James V., Administrator	February 28, 1906
94	Bennett, Ella S.	Duquesne Trust Co., Executor	February 28, 1906
95	Olnhausen, Christian	Olnhausen, Lizzie, Administratrix	February 28, 1906
96	Oehling, George	Kambach, George A., Executor	February 28, 1906
97	Nestmann, Carolina	Nestman, Carl, Administrator	February 28, 1906
98	Schutte, Henry	Schutte, Johanna, Administratrix	February 28, 1906
99	Smith, Andrew M.	Smith, George G., Trustee	March 1, 1906
100	Gross, Lukas	Golden, William A., Administrator	March 1, 1906
101	Beck, William	Alcorn, Thomas B., Executor	March 1, 1906
102	Carson, Grace W.	Butz, Annie M., Executrix and Trustee	March 1, 1906
103	McEvoy, William	Thompson, William L., Administrator	March 1, 1906
104	Boner, Samuel	Holman, John D., et al., Administrators	March 1, 1906
105	Connolly, Charles	Duffy, Anna, Administratrix	March 1, 1906
106	McCabe, Bridget	McCaffrey, Thomas, Executor	March 1, 1906
107	Dean, Z. W.	Guarantee Title & Trust Co., Administrator	March 1, 1906
108	Geist, Frederick D.	Geist, Frank E., Executor	March 1, 1906
109	Conway, David M.	Conway, Annie, Executrix	March 1, 1906
110	Zetwo, Louisa	Kress, Mary, Executrix	March 1, 1906
111	Schaefer, Christina	Schaefer, Charles, Executor	March 1, 1906
112	Kean, Thomas	Whyte, James, et al., Executors	March 2, 1906
113	Mitsch, Francis M.	Mitsch, Charles R., Administrator	March 2, 1906
114	Pesek, Anna	Weitershausen, C. J., Administrator	March 2, 1906
115	Zilliox, Katharina	Zilliox, Bernhard, Executor	March 2, 1906
116	McCully, James G.	McCully, Ella M., Administratrix	March 2, 1906
117	Doyle, Anna E.	Equitable Trust Company, Guardian	March 2, 1906
118	Kowdy, Elizabeth	Equitable Trust Co., Administrator	March 2, 1906
119	Cooper, Samuel	Williams, Nathan S., Administrator	March 2, 1906
120	Gracie, Alexander R.	Osborn, Frank C., Executor	March 2, 1906
121	Hammerl, Elizabeth	Frugh, H. M., Trustee	March 2, 1906
122	McMullen, Elizabeth M.	McKeesport Title & Trust Co., Administrator	March 2, 1906
123	Kane, James	Kane, John N., et al., Executors	March 2, 1906
124	Beard, Frank W.	Beard, Jennie A., Administratrix	March 2, 1906
125	Green, Matthew	Commonwealth Trust Co., Trustee	March 2, 1906
126	Cosgrove, John	Reap, Michael J., Executor	March 2, 1906
127	Brooke, Eleanor	Cowen, Mary A., Administratrix	March 2, 1906
128	Oppenheim, Zachary	Oppenheim, Pauline, Guardian	March 2, 1906
129	Clarkson, Hannah	South Side Trust Co., Administrator	March 2, 1906
130	Holmes, Mrs. Millie B.	South Side Trust Co., Guardian	March 2, 1906
131	Leake, Daniel	South Side Trust Co., Administrator	March 2, 1906
132	Brelnig, Jacob	Brelnig, Peter, Executor	March 2, 1906
133	Owens, James	Safe Deposit & Trust Co., Guardian	March 2, 1906
134	Vyman, Harry A.	Safe Deposit & Trust Co., Guardian	March 2, 1906
135	Horn, Philip	Safe Deposit & Trust Co., Guardian	March 2, 1906
136	Lee, Edna	Safe Deposit & Trust Co., Guardian	March 2, 1906
137	Shaffer, Harry C.	Safe Deposit & Trust Co., Administrator	March 2, 1906
138	Wachob, Margaret	Safe Deposit & Trust Co., Administrator	March 2, 1906
139	Stewart, Florence	Fidelity Title & Trust Co., Guardian

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506 Kirkpatrick st., 8 rooms, modern.
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No Branch Office.

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BARGAIN—Double frame house, 14 rooms; lot 2x by 110.; Herron ave.
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Beautiful, substantial home; possession April 1st. Solid brick, reception hall, library, dining room, pantry and kitchen on first floor, and four bedrooms and linen closet on second floor. Laundry, furnace, water heater and two bath rooms. Large level lot.
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9-Room Modern Brick House.
Hall, Bath, Gas, Laundry, Porches, Etc.
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M'KLVEEN-WHITE & CO., 808 Park bldg., Real Estate Hustlers.

SHADYSIDE BARGAIN,
$6,500.
Near Negley and Howe, house of nine rooms, in first-class condition. Lot 30 feet front. Act quick, as this must be sold within the next few days.
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Large new reception hall solid brick residence; hardwood finish and floors throughout; 2 tile baths; elegant decorations; price extremely low.
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FOR SALE—$10,500.
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GEO. B. KELLY & CO.,
135 S. Highland ave.

EMERSON ST., near Fifth ave., brick house, 9 rooms, 2 baths, all conveniences; excellent neighborhood, lot 27x110. Adress K 38, The Gazette.

$5,500; 7225 Hermitage st., Belmar, 9-room brick; all modern conveniences; terms to suit buyer. See owner, 7229 Hermitage st.

$2,700—Only $500 cash, balance monthly, will buy this neat frame house of 5 rooms and bath, hall, etc., cabinet mantels, good cellar, natural gas, chandeliers. Possession April 1. J. A. YOUNG & CO., Penn and Highland ave.

See Ira C. Harper,
457 Lincoln Avenue,
For Bellevue Real Estate.

HAVE your real estate titles examined and insured by Land Trust Co., 315 Fourth ave.

Allegheny Residences.

FOR SALE.
Reception hall brick residence; all modern improvements; tile bathroom, hardwood mantels, combination chandeliers, fine billiard room; gilt edge neighborhood; California ave. district, Allegheny; at $7,500.

New and modern cottage house, "Brighton Heights;" paved street; at $6,800; this is a beauty; don't miss it.

Fine home in Bellevue, containing one acre; fine fruit and shade trees; center hall modern dwelling; barn and carriage house; at $15,000.

Modern 10-room solid brick, corner two paved streets; hardwood finish; very fine home; a bargain at $10,500.

Vacant lot, North ave., Allegheny; corner property, facing parks; price very low.

Fine stone front residence, near parks, Allegheny; cost $14,000, will sell at $8,500.

And don't forget when you want a lot to build a home, we still have a few choice ones in WALKER PLACE AND BRIGHTON HEIGHTS.

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$3,000—Seven room frame house in the Perrysville ave. district. Convenient to car line. Has all modern conveniences, including bath and laundry. In first class condition in every respect.
Terms can be arranged to suit purchaser. This is a splendid opportunity for anyone thinking of buying a home.
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Times Building.
334 Fourth ave.

FOR SALE.
$7,200—PERRYSVILLE AVE.
Eight-room buff brick, bath, laundry, water heater, and steam heat.
FREEHOLD REAL ESTATE CO.,
Times Building.
334 Fourth ave.

FOR SALE—
The property 1423 Sheffield st., frame house, 4 rooms and brick house, 11 rooms, on lot 24x124 ft.; will sell on easy terms or will trade for East End property.
A. D. WILSON, 221 Federal st., Allegheny, Pa.

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MODERN center hall 12-room frame house; lot 55x130; price $4,500. C. F. Gass, Gass ave., near McClure, Allegheny.

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Business Properties.

NEW STOREROOMS.
To Let—Three new storerooms on corner of two prominent streets; is a transfer point and a good location for drug store, fancy grocery, hardware, wall paper, shoe store, etc.; will arrange to suit tenant; rent reasonable. See owner, Frankstown and Lincoln.

Lots.

FOR SALE—
Fine building lots, Penn and Brushton aves., Braddock and Penn, Brushton and Meade aves.; will sell as a whole or divide. See about this.
A. D. WILSON, 221 Federal st., Allegheny, Pa.

MORNINGSIDE—Three lots, Greenwood street, 60x100, cheap; three lots, corner Martha and Bijou sts. See Gross, 304 Boquet st.

FOR SALE—
Fine building lots, East Bellevue plan.
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Farms.

FOR SALE.
Farm of 95 acres, 80 acres improved, 15 acres timber, in oil and gas territory, church and school near, plenty of good water, brick house of 7 rooms, bank barn 40x64, other necessary outbuildings, plenty of fruit of all kinds. This farm is located 3 miles from Gibsonia station on B. & O. R. R., and it is a good one. Price $125 per acre. Come to our office and see photograph.
A. C. M'COMB & CO.,
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FARMS FOR SALE.
I have several good farms that are near Pittsburgh and railroad stations, that can be purchased at reasonable prices, or will trade for city improved.
What have you to trade?
WILLIAM M. CRAIG,
7634 Frankstown ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.

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W. H. SHEETS, Ruben Bldg., McKeesport.

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Mortgage Loans.

—PURCHASE MONEY—

and other mortgages for sale. Excellent securities, 6 per cent. Owner is a client of the bank and wants to use the money.

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141 Fourth ave.

$500,000 to loan, 4½ to 5 per cent; mortgages or collateral; private party. P. O. box 663.

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Business Opportunities.

HOTEL.
Located in Central Pennsylvania city of 50,000 people; property consists of new pressed brick 3-story hotel building, containing in all 40 rooms; also large stable in rear, together with entire furnishment and equipment of hotel; receipts from bar alone last year, $17,000; $24,000 buys real estate and entire furnishment; $9,000 to $10,000 cash necessary.
CHARLES W. TURNER,
431 Fourth ave., room 5, First Floor.

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QUICKLY SOLD for cash through our agency; real estate exchanged for stocks of merchandise; improved for unimproved real estate, etc.; if you want to make quick deal without publicity, call or write
B. B. FAULKNER & CO., INC'D,
(Business established in 1892.)
1107 Arrott bldg., Fourth ave. and Wood st.

INVEST in PENNSYLVANIA TONOPAH MINING COMPANY stock at 25c. Property adjoins Ohio Tonopah near Tonopah of Nevada, and Tonopah Extension properties; may be worth as many dollars. See map of property on financial page. Send for booklet—it is free.
NEWBERRY & CO.,
914 Empire Bldg.,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

WALL PAPER BUSINESS—Leading business in Allegheny; must sacrifice owing to ill-health. Stock will invoice $2,500. Rent only $18 per month; established 6 years. A bargain at $2,000.
W. J. BOYD,
Bell 'Phone 988 Court. 428 Fourth ave.

POOLROOM—Clearing $180 per month; room 20x50; rent only $25; 4 nice pool tables, Brunswick & Stevens make; all other necessary fixtures; no opposition within four squares. Price $700

THE HOOD REALTY CO.,
Fifth Floor, Fidelity Bldg., 341 Fourth ave.

PITTSBURGH manufacturing concern, incorporated, established three years, large earnings, requires additional capital to care for over 100 per cent increase in business; pays 8 per cent dividends; exceptional opportunity. Address P. O. box 1726, for personal investigation and full particulars.

HOTEL in nearby county doing business of $25,000 per year. Will be sold at sacrifice; real estate alone is worth $35,000, with license and furnishings will be sold for $25,000 for all.
W. J. BOYD,
Bell 'Phone 988 Court. 428 Fourth ave.

CIGAR AND CONFECTIONERY STORE—Located in the East End; has 4 nice living rooms, nice storeroom and doing a business of $70 a week; rent only $35 a month; stock will invoice all that is asked; for a quick sale, $450.
HAWK-ARMSTRONG CO.
616 Times bldg. 336 Fourth ave.

NEWSPAPER ROUTE—Must be sold at once, 900 daily, 650 Sunday subscribers, city territory, recognized by the various paper offices as an old established route; clear profits $120 per month; this is a good, clean route; price right; full particulars, see A. F. Nonh, 254 Dinwiddie st.

POOL ROOM—One of the best locations in the city; 5 pool tables; cheap rent; doing a business of from $200 to $250 per month; owner in other business; will sacrifice if sold quick for only $750.00
S. V. THOMPSON CO.,
Third Floor, 300 Times Bldg., 336 Fourth ave.

CONFECTIONERY STORE — Wilkinsburg, clearing $100 per month; room 20x40, 3 living rooms; rent $30; nice fixtures; good, clean stock; good location; price.....$325
THE HOOD REALTY CO.,
Fifth Floor, Fidelity Bldg., 341 Fourth ave.

HOTEL—This is an old-established licensed house, one of the best paying towns in Western Pennsylvania; must be seen to be appreciated; business last year run over $20,000. Will sell for $15,000; $10,000 cash, $5,000 good security. L 60, The Gazette.

CONFECTIONERY AND CIGAR STORE—Excellent little corner store, near Fifth avenue High school; 5 dwelling rooms, cheap rent; this is an old established stand on a prominent street; it will pay you to investigate; price $650. A. F. Nonh, 254 Dinwiddie st.

RESTAURANT—Duquesne, Pa., fully equipped and doing a fine business, including five living rooms; completely furnished. Rent $35 per month. Price $800 cash.
W. H. SHEETS, Ruben Bldg., McKeesport.

WE make a specialty of selling stores, saloons and hotels and business opportunities of all kinds; business strictly confidential; communicate with us if you are thinking of buying or selling.
S. V. THOMPSON CO., 300 Times bldg.

BUTTER, EGGS AND GROCERY STORE—In city doing business $275 week; stock and fixtures will invoice $1,100; price, if sold this week, $800. CAVANAGH & CO., 431 Fourth avenue.

FOR SALE—Corner saloon, best location; good will, fixtures, good reason for selling; reasonable. C. J. Adams & Co., rooms 2-4, Real Estate and Law building, Atlantic City.

GROCERY and butcher shop for sale, good location, Ambridge; large cash business will sell cheap. John Plajait, cor. Third and Merchant st., Ambridge.

CORNER GROCERY—Doing a nice business; will sell for $780 if sold at once. 1501 Arch st., Allegheny.

GROCERY STORE—South Side, good location; doing business $20 day; great bargain; price $600. CAVANAGH & CO., 431 Fourth ave.

IF YOU WANT to buy or sell any kind of business, see CAVANAGH & CO., 431 Fourth ave.

FOR SALE—Shoe store, $2,000 stock. No. 111 Brushton ave.

LIVERY for sale; good business, good location. Inquire the Elizabeth Livery Co., Elizabeth, Pa.

Horses and Vehicles.

FOR SALE.
I have decided to sell my entire stable outfit, consisting of four head of horses, two station wagons, one runabout, one breaking cart, one old queen phaeton, one victoria, one extension brougham, one brake and five or six sets of harness and the entire furnishings of stable. Address box 1428.

FOR SALE—Harness, horse collars, etc., best grade, hand-made harness; also 2 sets single and 7 sets double (second-hand) wagon harness, taken in exchange for new. ALEX C. GRANT, 25 Fifth st.

FOR SALE—Serviceable jump seat horseshoe shafts and pole. Price $50.00. Highland Boarding Stables, 6045 Rosman st., East End.

FOR SALE—One one-horse farm wagon in good condition, will sell for $25. Address box 1428.

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GAS AND STEAM ENGINES in all sizes and for all purposes. We make a specialty of private lighting and pumping outfits; also complete power equipment for general purposes.
Call and see our special electric gas engine in operation under full load. Send for our second-hand list.
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FOR SALE—Boilers and engines, all sizes, from 3 to 125 H. P., stationary and portable upright boilers and engines; large assortment kept in stock; shafting, pulleys and hangers and large lot miscellaneous machinery, second-hand belting, leather and rubber; large stock of all sizes at low prices; machinery of all kinds bought and exchanged.
JOHN S. YOUNG,
108-110 Park way, Allegheny, Pa.

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Complete steam power plant.
Low price for quick sale.
22x24" Russell 4 valve automatic engine.
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Pumps, feed water heaters, etc.
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139 First ave.

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GAS ENGINE. GASOLINE.
Marine and Stationary. Any type.
THE FAIRBANKS COMPANY, 216 2d ave.

Sewing Machines.

CLEARANCE SALE—BIG BARGAINS.
100 TRIAL and SHOP-WORN SEWING MACHINES, ALL MAKES, must be disposed of in SHORT TIME to make room for our NEW STOCK OF SEWING MACHINES, REGARDLESS OF PRICE.
WARRANTED, every machine in FIRST-CLASS order, with FULL set of ATTACHMENTS.
CARTER SEWING MACHINE CO.,
121 SIXTH ST. Next Bijou THEATER.

Stocks.

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NEWBERRY & CO.,
914 Empire Bldg.,
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Automobiles.

FOR SALE—AUTOMOBILE.
Toledo steam automobile, Dos-a-Dos model, guaranteed to be in A-1 mechanical condition; new tires on back wheels; purchaser to get extra new tire now on hand; price if sold at once, $300 on board cars here. Address Lock Box 503, Letonia, O.

Typewriters.

SMITH PREMIER, Remington, Underwood, Oliver, Monarch, others; lowest prices. Tri-State Typewriter Co., 317 Park bldg.

Poultry, Birds and Dogs.

SHETLAND ponies, ferrets, poultry, pigeons, pheasants, rabbits, guinea pigs, goats, cats, dogs; 2-cent stamp for circulars. Col. Joseph Leffel, Springfield, Ohio.

Cows.

FOR SALE—Fine young Jersey cow, fresh, perfectly healthy; first calf. Write M 228, The Gazette.

Safes.

MOVING—Safes almost given away. W. Frager, 110 Market st.

Miscellaneous.

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Pittsburgh, Pa.

BUTCHER'S ice box, cheap to quick buyer. P. & A., phone 278 South. Frank P. Wensel, 112 Pike st., South Side.

A FINE nice diamond for sale cheap; will make terms to suit. Address N 60, The Gazette.

WILL exchange a wagon or buggy for carpenter work. Address box 1428.

FOR SALE—Fancy second-hand garments; ladies' and gents' (private house). J. Wald, 1841 Webster ave., Pittsburgh.

PORTABLE houses, practical and inexpensive. Andrew Thompson Douthett, Uniontown, Pa.

H. C. KNAPP, commercial job printer, 3521 Butler st. Both telephones.

NOTICES.

The sale of the National Cable and Wire Company has been postponed to Tuesday, March 13, 1906, at 3 o'clock P. M., on the premises.
J. H. Hunter,
Receiver.
W. W. Wishart,
A. M. Imbrie,
Attorneys.

LOST STOCK CERTIFICATE.
Notice is hereby given that Certificate No. 134, issued to and in the name of Chas. W. Mackey, for forty (40) shares of the capital stock of the American Axe & Tool Company has been lost, and application made to the company for a duplicate certificate. All persons are warned against purchasing said lost certificate.
CHAS. W. MACKEY.

PROPOSALS.

PROPOSALS for track bolts and spikes, flat-car stake pockets, timber dollies, shovels, Portland cement, lumber (flooring, siding, ceiling, and finishing), forging machines, disinfector, bainmarie boxes, cast-iron bends, asbestos packing, chairs, etc. Office Isthmian Canal Commission, Washington, D. C., February 27, 1906. Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received at the office of the general purchasing officer, Isthmian canal commission, Washington, D. C., until 10:30 a. m., March 15, 1906, at which time they will be opened in public for furnishing the above-mentioned articles. Blanks and full information (Circular No. 201) may be obtained from this office or the officers of the assistant purchasing agents, 24 State street, New York city; custom house, New Orleans, La.; also from chief quartermaster, department of the lakes, Chicago; depot quartermaster, St. Louis; depot quartermaster, Jeffersonville, Ind.; chief quartermaster, department of the gulf, Atlanta, Ga., and the commercial club, Mobile, Ala.—D. W. Ross, general purchasing officer.

PROPOSALS FOR COAL—Mississippi River Commission, Fullerton building, St. Louis, Mo., February 8, 1906.—Sealed proposals, in triplicate, for furnishing 200,000 bushels coal in barges, will be received here until 12 noon, standard time, March 8, 1906, and then publicly opened. Information furnished on application. Wm. B. Ladue, Capt. Eng'rs, Sec'y.

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FINDLAY BROS. & CO.
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MOVING.
CHEAPEST RATES; BEST SERVICE BE SURE. GET OUR ESTIMATE.
EAST END TRANSFER,
Bell 1685-W Highland. 139 Frankstown ave.

MEETINGS.

UNITED STATES STEEL CORPORATION—For the purpose of the annual meeting of stockholders to be held April 18, 1906, the stock transfer books will be closed from 3 p. m., March 16, to 10 a. m., April 17.
By order of the Board of Directors.
RICHARD TRIMBLE, Secretary.

LEGAL NOTICES.

A. W. FORSYTH, Attorney-at-Law, 209-210 Bakewell building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the governor of Pennsylvania on the second day of April, 1906, by A. L. Kincade, John J. Plath and Harry Mickley, under the act of assembly entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved the 29th day of April, 1874, and its supplements, for the incorporation of a company to be called "Bellevue Laundry Company," the character and object of which is laundering, dyeing, scouring, cleaning, bleaching, starching, pressing and smoothing all and every kind or kinds of textile goods, materials and fabrics by the use of machinery and mechanical instruments, implements and appliances, and by the application of skilled manuel labor and operations, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of said act of assembly and the supplements thereto. A. W. Forsyth, solicitor.

ALEX. GILFILLAN, Attorney-at-Law, Frick building, Pittsburgh, Pa. In re petition of Voorhees Laley for change of name. Court of common pleas No. 2, Allegheny county, state of Pennsylvania. No. 189 January term, 1906. Notice is hereby given that Voorhees Laley, having filed his petition for a change of name, and no objection being raised to the same, it was ordered and decreed by said court on Saturday, February 17, that the petitioner's name be changed from that of Voorhees Laley to Edward Johnson, and notice of the same be published in the Pittsburgh Gazette once a week for four successive weeks. Alex. Gilfillan.

JAMES E. HINDMAN, Attorney-at-Law, 413 Grant st., Pittsburgh. State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss. In the court of common pleas No. 2, No. 685 October term, 1905, Mary Ellen Miller vs. Harry Clyde Miller. Libel in divorce a vinculo matrimonii. To Harry Clyde Miller, respondent. The subpoena and alias subpoena in the above stated case having been returned non est inventus, you are hereby notified and required to appear in said court of common pleas No. 2 on the first Monday of April, A. D. 1906, to answer the petition and libel filed in said case. James W. Dickson, sheriff.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE—In the court of common pleas No. 1 of Allegheny county, P

N. Y. STOCKS RECOVERED AND CLOSED HIGHER

Call Loans Remained Firm—Heavy Shipment of Currency to San Francisco—Continued Activity in Local Mining Shares.

By JOHN O. BAGLIN, Financial Editor.

The New York stock market was less active yesterday, but after some hesitation at the opening the tone improved and for the remainder of the day a recovery was in progress. At several times this recovery was interrupted by bearish attacks, which were in the nature of testing the speculative situation; but the urgent liquidation appeared to have been completed on Monday. Closing prices were not at the best, but in most instances showed gains for the day.

Much interest was felt in the course of the copper stocks, as these were looked upon as the "storm center of the market. In the Boston market North Butte displayed further weakness and declined to 74½, but it later recovered all the loss and advanced to 80. This was the only weak spot in the copper market. Amalgamated opened at 100⅝, which proved to be the low point of the day, and advanced to 103⅝, closing with a net gain of 2 per cent. Anaconda Copper closed 6¼ per cent higher. Numerous stories were current in the street to account for the outpouring of copper stocks on Monday and the relative firmness of the same group yesterday. One of these stories was that a block of 300,000 shares Amalgamated had been taken over by insiders at 95 after the market closed on Monday. If the story were true it would account for the rally in the stock yesterday, because if a large block of maligned stock had been hanging over the market the big professional traders would have an inkling of it, and would sell short, whereas if the weakly-held stock were taken over privately a menace to the market would be removed.

United States Steel made a very fair recovery, but the common did not retain its gain, and closed only ¼ higher. The preferred closed ⅞ higher. Colorado Fuel and Iron rallied 2½ per cent from the specific price, but closed only ⅞ higher for the day. The railroad equipment stocks all made good recoveries, closing 1⅛ to 1 per cent higher than on Monday.

The recovery in the railroad list was very uniform, practically every stock on the list closing higher. The gain in Reading, however, was only ¼ per cent, the stock rallying to 130⅝, but closing at 128⅝. A conference of anthracite operators was held during the day, but no statement was given out during market hours.

Call loan rates remained firm, ranging between 5 and 5½ per cent and closing at 5 per cent. The New York sub-treasury transferred $2,000,000 currency to San Francisco banks during the day. There is no explanation of the transactions, but Wall street inferred that it had something to do with Japanese government operations. The New York banks are still carrying a fair balance to the credit of Japan, and there have been intimations that it would be reduced this spring.

Regarding the Pacific coast demand for money, however, it might be remarked that the east has not, as yet, taken any notice of the real estate speculation in progress in that section. A banker recently returned from Los Angeles, stated that at the present time it was estimated there were fully 70,000 tourists in that city and Pasadena, and that speculation in real estate all through that section is rampant. In addition legitimate business was never more prosperous. His observations are verified by the reports of railroad gross earnings, which are now surpassing all previous totals, indicating an unprecedented movement of merchandise. This condition of affairs, which is general, fully accounts for the relative firmness of domestic money markets.

Nine-tenths of the business on the Pittsburgh stock exchange was in mining stocks, and in the curb market fully 75,000 shares of this class of stocks changed hands. There were times when the regular industrial list was entirely neglected, and it seems a farce for the stock exchange authorities to withhold official recognition from unlisted mining stocks while at times every active broker on the floor is engaged in buying and selling the unlisted stocks and exchanging the purchase and sale slips furnished by the stock exchange for its regular business.

Sales of Ohio Tonopah foot up 25,900 shares at prices ranging from 54 to 48 cents, the final sale being at 49 cents. Lustre Mining sold unchanged at 29½. Tonopah Extension sold to the extent of only 100 shares at $11, a decline of ¼. Nearly 500 shares United Copper changed hands at 60 to 64¼, the final sale being at 62, a net advance of 4½ per cent.

Crucible Steel was moderately active, the common closing a shade lower at 14½ and the preferred a fraction higher at 76¾. United States Steel issues rallied in sympathy with the advance in the east. Dealings in Pittsburgh Coal were confined to 10 shares of the common and 22 shares of the preferred at practically unchanged prices. Consolidated Ice sold at 8 and closed at 8½ bid. Manufacturers Light and Heat closed higher at 31½, while Ohio Fuel was a fraction lower at 38⅜. National Fire Proofing stocks were neglected. Two seats in the Pittsburgh stock exchange sold at $7,500 each, an advance of $400 over the last previous sale.

PITTSBURGH STOCKS.

Sales on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday were as follows:

10:00 A. M. to 10:30 A. M.

300	Ohio Tonopah	.54	
800	do	.54	
1000	do	.53	
250	do	.53	
2000	do	.52	
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500	do	.52	
10	Crucible pfd	76½	
100	do	76	
50	do	76	
5	do	76	
25	do	76	
3	Ohio Fuel	38½	

10:30 A. M. to 11:00 A. M.

5	Crucible com	14½	
1000	Ohio Tonopah	.51	
50	Switch com	85	
20	Sewer Pipe	33⅓	
1	Exch.mem's sp.	7500	
1	do	7500	
3	W. Airbrake	155	

11:00 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.

500	Ohio Tonopah	.48	
50	do	.49	
250	do	.48	
50	do	.48	
1000	do	.48	
500	do	.48	
1000	do	.48	
500	do	.50	
300	do	.50	
100	do	.50	
100	do	.50	
100	do	.50	
100	do	.50	
200	do	.50	
25	United Copper	62½	
100	do	64½	

12:30 P. M. to 2:00 P. M.

1000	Ohio Tonopah	.50	
2000	do	.50	
100	do	.50	
100	do	.50	
1000	do	.50	
100	do	.50	
2000	do	.51	
1050	do	.51	

2:00 P. M. to 2:30 P. M.

15	P. Brew. com	28	
50	do	28	
50	do	28	
25	do	28	
20	Ohio Fuel	38⅜	
5	do	38⅜	

2:30 P. M. to 3:00 P. M.

4	P. P. Gl. wts.	12¼	
100	do	12½	
15	Crucible com	14⅝	
10	do	14⅝	
10	do	14⅝	
25	do	15	
500	Ohio Tonopah	.50	
500	do	.50	
1000	do	.50	
1000	do	.50	
2000	do	.50	
50	Electric 2nds	.80	
40	Ind. Brw. pfd	.40	
40	Crucible com	14⅝	
50	do	14⅝	
100	do	14⅝	
25	do	14⅝	
10	do	14⅝	
100	do	14⅝	
25	P. Brew. com	28	
$2000	Ind. Brw. 6s	107	
$3000	do	107	

10	United Copper	60			
50	do	61			
50	U. S. Stl. pfd	104½			
10	Crucible pfd	76			
50	P. Brew. com	28			
10	Luster	29½			
100	Tonopah Ext	11			
85	Union Switch, com	85			
7500	Luster	29½			
155	Tonopah Ext	11			

100	United Copper	64½	
40	W. Airbrake	155	
200	Lustre	29½	
40	Ind. Brw. pfd	40⅝	
200	U. S. Stl. com	39⅞	
3	Electric 2nds	81	
5	Mfrs. L. & H.	51½	
20	P. Coal pfd	95⅛	
5	P. Brew. com	28	
10	H. W. R. com	12½	
100	Cons. Ice com	7¾	
10	P. Coal pfd	104⅞	
2	Switch com	85	
8	4-5 P. P. Gl. wts	12½	
1	do	12½	
13	do	12½	

20	Mfrs. L. & H.	51	
15	F. Proof pfd	95½	
16	do	95½	
2	P. Coal pfd	94	
10	P. Coal com	16	
5	Colonial Trust	870	
4	P. P. Gl. wts.	12½	
100	do	12½	

200	Ohio Tonopah	.51	
100	do	.50	
100	do	.51	
100	do	.51	
50	H. W. R. com	12	
50	Cons. Ice com	8	

50	Ohio Tonopah	.50	
49	Crucible com	14⅝	
100	Crucible pfd	76¾	
25	U. S. Stl. com	39⅝	
10	W. Glass pfd	92	
100	Mfrs. L. & H.	51½	
90	do	51½	
2	P. Brew. com	27½	
200	United Copper	63	
3	Sewer Pipe	34½	
163	do	33⅜	

Summary.

STOCKS.	High	Low	Last Sale.	Chge.
Sales.				
150 Cons. Ice, com	8	7¾	8	+ ⅛
440 Crue. Steel, com	14⅝	14½	14½	— ⅛
500 Do preferred	76¾	76	76¾	+ ¾
55 Fireproof, pfd	95½	95½	95½	0
60 H. W. Ref. com	12½	12	12	— ½
1200 Ind. Brew. pfd	40¾	40	40⅝	0
65 Lustre	29½	29½	29¾	0
216 Mfrs. L. & H.	51½	51	51½	+ ½
28 Ohio Fuel	*38½	38⅜	38⅝	+ ⅛
23500 Ohio Tonopah	.51	.48	.49	— .01
222 Pitts. Brew. com	28	*27⅞	*27⅞	— ⅛
10 Pitts. Coal, com	15	15	15	0
22 Do preferred	95⅜	*.94	*94	— 1
186 Sewer Pipe	*34½	33⅝	33⅝	— ⅞
100 Tonopah Ext	11	11	11	— ¼
85 Union Switch, com	85	85	85	0
485 United Copper	64½	60	63	+ 4½
325 U. S. Steel, com	39⅝	39⅛	39⅜	+ ⅜
135 Do preferred	104⅞	104½	104⅞	+ 1⅜
48 West. Airbrake	155	155	155	0
63 West. Elec. 2ds	*81	81	*81	+ 1
10 Wind. Glass pfd	95	95	95	0
BANKS.				
5 Colonial Tr	870	870	870	— 5
28906				
BONDS.				
5000 Ind. Brew. 6s	107	107	107	0
WARRANTS.				
120 Pitts. Plate Glass	12⅞	12¼	12½	0
2 Pgh. stk Ex. M.	2500	2500	2500	+ 400

* Less than 10 shares.

Closing Bids and Offers.

STOCKS.	Par.	Bid.	Ask.
Pittsburg Banks—			
Arsenal Bank	50	142	....
Commonwealth Trust	100	....	190
Diamond National	100	....	430
Duquesne National	100	....	285
Fifth Avenue Bank	50	81	....
Iron City Trust	100	121	122½
Second National	100	....	260
Traders and Mechanics	50	70	....
Miscellaneous—			
American Sewer Pipe	100	33⅜	....
Consolidated Ice	50	8½	....
Do preferred	50	29½	40½
Crucible Steel	100	14⅝	14⅝
Do preferred	100	76¾	77
Harbison Walker Co. pfd	100	....	78½
Independent Brewing	50	13½	14½
Do preferred	50	40	40⅝
Luster Mining	10	29½	29¾
Manufacturers Light & Heat	50	31½	31⅝
Marsden	100	3¾	8
Monongahela River Coal	50	8	....
Do preferred	50	29½	35½
Municipal Water	25	87	88
Ohio Fuel Supply	25	38¼	38½
Ohio Tonopah Mining	1	.50	....
Pittsburgh Oil & Gas	100	....	55
Philadelphia Company	50	50½	....
Pittsburgh Brewing	50	27½	25¼
Do preferred	50	48½	50½
Pittsburgh Coal	100	15	....
Do preferred	100	92	....
Standard Underground Cable	100	210	....
Tonopah Extension Mining	1	11	....
United Copper	100	11	63½
United States Glass	100	59	....
Westinghouse Electric	50	80	....
Westinghouse Airbrake	50	....	156
BONDS.			
Consolidated Gas 5s	....	....	110
Independent Brewing 6s	....	107	107¾
Monongahela River Coal 6s	....	111½	....
North Side Bridge 6s	....	97	....
Pittsburgh Brewing 6s	....	114	....
National Glass 6s	....	97¾	....

Unlisted Securities.

The feature of the local curb market was the activity in Black Hills Copper. The sales of this stock foot up about 60,000 shares, prices ranging from 38 to 47 cents, and closing at 42c bid, 43c asked. At times the dealings in the stock were exciting, and at the moment a sale of 1,000 shares was reported at 47c, there were offerings aggregating 10,000 shares at 45c, and at the close a block of 5,000 shares offered at 43c. Sales of Cable Consolidated foot up about 12,500 shares at prices ranging from $1.10 to $1.15, the stock closing at $1.13 bid. Jim Butler sold to the extent of 2,000 shares at $1.50, and Criterion and Masbate at 18@20c.

Quotations and sales reported by G. W. MacMullen & Co.:

Tuesday, March 6, 1906.
(Reported by George W. MacMullen & Co.)

	Bid.	Ask.
Kansas Natural Gas	43	....
Union Natural Gas	107½	....
Fayette County Gas	95	99
Pure Oil	7	7¼
Dominion Gas	....	70½
Rock Run Fuel Gas	....	45
Window Glass Machine common	....	6
Window Glass Machine preferred	....	15
National Union Fire Insurance	150	....
Pennsylvania Fuel	62	64
Denver Bullfrog	1.50	....
Stewart Creek Mining Co.	....	68
Red Rock Mining Co.	....	.72
Golden Anchor	....	1.42
Coast Range Mining Co.	....	.40
Oriental and Masbate Mining Co.	.13	....
Black Hills Copper (Ariz.)	.42	43
Cable Consolidated	1.14	....
Monarch-Pittsburgh	.30	.33
Cable King	.37	.38
Jim Butler	1.50	....
BONDS.		
*Pittsburgh Oil & Gas 6s	....	95
*Union Steel 5s	....	100
*Ohio Valley Water	....	100

*And interest.

Sales of Unlisted Securities.

4000 shares	Black Hills .38
1000 shares	Black Hills .39
2000 shares	Black Hills .44
1965 shares	Black Hills .43
600 shares	Black Hills .40
1000 shares	Black Hills .38
1500 shares	Black Hills .39
5000 shares	Black Hills .40
4000 shares	Black Hills .40
3300 shares	Black Hills .41
100 shares	Black Hills .42
200 shares	Black Hills .40
1000 shares	Black Hills .42
1000 shares	Black Hills .40
1000 shares	Black Hills .41
1000 shares	Black Hills .40
1000 shares	Black Hills .43
8000 shares	Black Hills .40
1000 shares	Black Hills .42
200 shares	Black Hills .40
6000 shares	Black Hills .42
7000 shares	Black Hills .41
1000 shares	Black Hills .44
1000 shares	Black Hills .47
1500 shares	Black Hills .45
200 shares	Denver Bullfrog 1.50
50 shares	Oriental & Masbate .20
1000 shares	Oriental & Masbate .15
100 shares	Cable Consolidated 1.13
7500 shares	Cable Consolidated 1.10
2100 shares	Cable Consolidated 1.12
1600 shares	Cable Consolidated 1.10
2200 shares	Cable Consolidated 1.15
100 shares	Cable Consolidated 1.15
100 shares	Cable Consolidated 1.15
50 shares	Cable Consolidated 1.15
500 shares	Cable Consolidated 1.15
200 shares	Triple Dollar .1.25
100 shares	Big O'Brien .65

NOTES AND COMMENT.

The announcement of the deposit at the New York sub-treasury of $2,000,000 for transfer by telegraph to San Francisco gave a chill to the market, owing to the importance attached to the money situation from a stock market standpoint. The transfer is generally recognized as due to the calling home by the Japanese government of the resources of its bond issue, which have been on deposit in New York for many months past, where they have had the benefit of the high prevailing rates for money in the New York market. Their withdrawal at this time is supposed to be connected with new loan operations by the Japanese government in their home market. Much interest naturally attaches to the extent to which this movement may be carried, but no authoritative information is forthcoming on the matter. Money rates were not materially changed, although the general tone begins to show the benefit of the liquidation accomplished in the stock market. Foreign exchange also was inclined to yield.

The assembling of the coal operators to consider the proposition of the anthracite miners for an agreement gave rise to varying rumors which were reflected in the fluctuations in Reading.

A. O. Brown & Co., who have taken a prominent part in the New York stock exchange market of late, sent this message to Whitney, Stephenson & Co., their Pittsburgh correspondents, after the close of the market yesterday: "The banks are taking measures to meet the usual spring demand for funds. As money is not too plentiful abroad and as the government can give only a limited amount, some liquidation was undoubtedly necessary to avert a stringency that might cause considerable disturbance if relief measures were too long postponed. While no serious decline is feared, indications do not encourage the hope of any immediate resumption of bullish operations on a large scale until the monetary situation improves materially."

There was a show of positive strength in the Wabash securities and those of southwestern railroads in the same group. Rumors accompanied the rise in these stocks of the early formulation of a financial readjustment plan by the Wabash Company. This is a revival of a previous rumor, and it did not receive countenance from official sources.

The fire loss of the United States and Canada for the month of February, as compiled from the carefully kept records of the Journal of Commerce and Commercial Bulletin, aggregates $18,249,350, against $25,591,000 in the same month last year. Total for two months of 1906, $35,978,150, against $41,969,100 in the same time in 1905.

The St. Lawrence River Power Company, which owns a large water plant at Massena, N. Y., and which serves several industrial establishments, has been taken over by the Pittsburgh Reduction Company, the chief producer of aluminum in the United States. The power company has outstanding $500,000 5 per cent bonds, $3,500,000 preferred and $3,000,000 common. The company is taken over on the basis of an issue of $4,000,000 4 per cent Pittsburgh Reduction Company bonds in exchange for all stock of the Power company—the Power company's bonds, principal and interest are also guaranteed by the Reduction company.

Net earnings of the American Snuff Company for the year 1905 were $2,633,666, against $2,438,419 in 1904.

Net earnings of the American Cigar Company for the year 1905 were $1,032,857, an increase of $222,481.

Kaffir mining stocks quoted in the London market are selling at about half the prices ruling two years ago.

The American Wollens report for the year ended December 31, 1905:

	1905.	1904.
Net sales	$48,660,449	$30,822,914
Cost and expenses	43,879,589	26,680,514
Net profits	4,781,157	3,942,399
Preferred dividends	1,560,416	.....
Balance	3,220,741	1,642,330
Depreciation	1,867,838	.....
Surplus	1,842,903	1,842,330
Previous surplus	8,196,825	6,554,595
Total surplus	10,049,728	8,196,925

Gross earnings for February: Chicago Great Western, increased $268,527; St. Louis & Southwestern, increased $178,839; Mobile & Ohio, increased $222,650; Great Northern, increased $824,566; Illinois Central, increased $666,971; Yazoo & Mississippi Valley, increased $254,766; Southern Maryland, increased $76,228; Southern Railway, increased $877,630; Texas Pacific increased $202,885; Missouri Pacific, increased $697,000.

Crucible Steel directors are scheduled to meet next Tuesday to take action on the quarterly dividend on the preferred stock.

The Havana Electric Railway Company has declared an initial dividend of 1 per cent on its preferred stock, payable April 3.

The Philadelphia Traction Company has declared a dividend of $2 a share, payable April 2, to holders of record March 9.

A New York dispatch says: The informal syndicate, which has been organized to take a certain portion of the common stock of the Interborough Metropolitan Company, it is understood, includes Kuhn, Loeb & Co., A. Belmont & Co., J. P. Morgan & Co., and Thomas F. Ryan, together with a number of other prominent banking houses, which have been offered and have accepted participation in the project. The agreement provides that the bankers participating shall take $5,700,000 common stock, which was received by August Belmont & Co. in consideration of the payment by that firm of $2,250,000 cash, besides meeting all organization expenses connected with the formation of the new company.

There were no deposits of public funds in New York banks on Monday, but the banks which expect to receive them tendered to the assistant treasurer for approval bonds of the kind suggested by the secretary of the treasury as security for such deposits. No announcement has been made whether it is the intention of the secretary to take at once $10,000,000 from the cash in the treasury and put it in banks or to allow current collections of internal revenue to remain in banks until that amount has been accumulated. Collections of internal revenue are coming in now at the rate of between $600,000 and $700,000 daily so that if the latter policy should be adopted it would be about 15 days before deposits of public money in banks would be increased by $10,000,000. During that time, however, the New York banks would not be drawn upon for the transfer of internal revenue collections at the cities where deposits of public funds are to be increased. Collections at New York city would be retained in banks, and part of the collections from other districts would be sent to make up the $3,000,000 expected to New York banks.

The Wool Market.

BOSTON, March 6.—The wool market is in a strong position. This is partly due to the belief that the wools now here cannot be duplicated in the west at the prices ruling in this market. The indications are that the stock of wool here when the new clip begins to arrive in volume will be unusually small. Territories are becoming scarce. The demand for pulled wools is improving, with the call still for fine A's and A supers. Foreign wools are dull. Leading quotations follow: Ohio and Pennsylvania X and above, 24½@25c; X, 23½@24c; No. 1, 23@23c; No. 2, 38@40c; fine unwashed, 26@26½c; one-fourth blood, unwashed, 32@32½c; three-eighths blood, 33@34c; half blood, 33@33½c; unwashed delaine, 28@29c; fine washed delaine, 37c. Michigan, fine unwashed, 24@25c; quarter blood, unwashed, 31½@32c; three-eighth blood, 33@33½c; half blood, 32½@33c; unwashed delaine, 27@28c. Kentucky, Indiana, etc., three-eighths and quarter blood, 33@33c. Territory, Idaho, fine, 25@25c; heavy fine, 19@20c; fine medium, 22@23c; medium, 26@27c; low medium, 26@27c. Wyoming, fine, 21@22c; heavy fine, 19@20c; fine medium, 22@23c; medium, 26@27c; low medium, 26@27c. Utah and Nevada, fine, 22@23c; heavy fine, 19@20c; fine medium, 22@23c; medium, 26@27c; low medium, 26@27c. Dakota, fine, 22@23c; fine medium, 22@23c; medium, 27@28c; low medium, 26@27c. Montana, fine, choice, 24@25c; fine average, 23@24c; fine medium, choice, 24@25c; average, 22@24c; staple, 27@28c; medium choice, 27@28c.

The Drygoods Market.

NEW YORK, March 6.—Spring business in the drygoods market is proceeding satisfactorily to the jobbers, returns from the west being particularly encouraging. Leading Chicago houses report a season considerably in advance of the similar three-months' period of 1905, which was in itself a record-breaker. Conditions among first hands are also satisfactory, although quieter than for some weeks past. Bleached goods are regarded as weak in some quarters, but print cloths and prints are held very firmly. Denims and fine yarn goods are sold for weeks ahead.

Philadelphia Stocks.

(Reported by Childs & Childs.)

STOCKS.	High	Low	Last Bid
Cambria Steel	34⅞	34½	34½
Electric Co. of America	11⅝	11½	11⅝
Lehigh Valley	72¼	71⅞	72
Lehigh Navigation	111	111	110½
Philadelphia Company	51½	51	50¾
Philadelphia Rapid Transit	31	30¾	30½
Philadelphia Electric Co.	7⅞	7 13-16	7⅞
Union Traction	63¾	63¼	63
United Gas Improvement	94½	93⅞	94

Government Bond Quotations.

(Reported by Scully, Painter & Beech.)

	Yesterday. Bid.	Ask.	Prev. Day. Bid.	Ask.
U. S. 2s, reg., 1930	103	103⅝	103	103⅝
U. S. 2s, coup., 1930	103½	104¼	103½	104¼
U. S. 3s, reg., 1908	103	103⅝	103	103⅝
U. S. 3s, coup., 1908	103	103⅝	103	103⅝
U. S. 3s, small bonds	102¼	....	102½	....
U. S. 4s, reg., 1907	102⅜	103½	102⅜	103½
U. S. 4s, coup., 1907	102⅝	104⅛	102⅝	104½
U. S. 4s, reg., 1925	130	131	130	131
U. S. 4s, coup., 1925	130½	131	130½	131
Dist. of Columbia, 3.65	116	....	116	....
Philippine 4s, 1914-34	109	110½	109	110½

COMPLETE RECORD OF THE NEW YORK STOCKS

Daily range of prices reported by Messrs. Henry Sproul & Co., 416 Wood street, members of New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Chicago stock exchanges, and Chicago board of trade.

ACTIVE LIST.

STOCKS. Sales	Open	High	Low	Closing Bids.
4800 A. T. & S. F.	89¾	89¾	89¼	89¾
100 Do preferred	102⅝	102⅝	102⅝	102⅝
4300 Am. Cotton Oil	30	30¼	29½	29⅝
5800 Am. Sugar Ref	137½	138⅝	137	138¾
11200 Am. Locomotive	65¾	67⅝	65¼	67¼
100 Do preferred	116	116	116	116
3500 Am. Car Foundry	39¾	41	39½	41
177500 Amalg. Copper	100⅝	103⅝	100⅝	103⅜
36000 Anaconda Copper	249	265	246½	258⅜
27500 Am. Smelt. & Ref	150⅞	154⅝	152¼	154¾
400 Do preferred	121¾	121¾	121	121½
American Woolen	41¼	43⅝	41½	42⅝
Do preferred	107	107	107	107
1800 Baltimore & Ohio	109⅜	110¼	109⅜	110¼
400 Do preferred	96	96	96	96
23800 Brooklyn R. T.	79⅛	80⅝	79	79⅝
2500 Canadian Pacific	169	173⅜	169	170⅝
900 Central Leather	42	42¾	42	42⅜
700 Do preferred	103½	105⅞	103½	105⅝
1500 Chi. Gt. West	29⅜	29⅝	29¼	29⅜
7300 Consolidated Gas	157	157⅝	156½	156½
900 C. C. C. & St. L.	98	98	98	98
3800 Chesapeake & Ohio	55	55⅞	55	55⅞
200 Chicago & N'w.	225	225	224½	224⅝
28800 Col. Fuel & Iron	58	60½	57¾	60⅛
500 Corn Product	17⅝	18	17⅝	18
1600 Col. Southern	33	34⅛	33	34½
400 Do 1st preferred	70⅝	71¾	70⅝	70⅝
2400 Do 2d preferred	48⅝	50⅛	48¾	48⅞
700 Del. & Hudson	202	202½	202	202½
11500 Erie	41⅜	42¾	41⅜	42
200 Do 1st preferred	77½	77⅝	77½	77½
400 Do 2d preferred	67⅜	68	67⅜	68
1400 General Electric	186¾	187½	185¾	187½
1200 Illinois Central	165	167½	165	167½
100 Iowa Central	25¾	25¾	25¾	25¾
1100 Internat. Paper	21¾	22⅜	21¾	21¾
400 Do preferred	84½	84¼	84	84
2800 Louis. & Nash	144½	145¾	144½	145¼
4800 Missouri Pacific	98¼	99½	98¼	99
5700 M. K. & T.	34¾	34¾	33	33⅞
3500 Do preferred	69¾	71⅜	69¾	71⅜
Metropolitan	114½	115⅜	114½	115
200 Do Securities	71¾	71¾	71¾	71¾
7200 Mexican Central	23⅝	24	23½	23⅞
18900 National Lead	76¼	78¼	75⅞	77⅞
National Biscuit	67	67½	65¾	67¼
N. Y. Airbrake	150	151	149½	149½
3000 N. Y. Central	146	146¾	145	145¾
705 N. Y., O. & W.	49	49½	49	49¼
1900 Norfolk & West	58⅝	59¾	57¾	59⅜
1200 North Amer.	87	87¾	87	87½
1200 Northern Pacific	210	214	210	213
500 Peoples Gas	96	96½	95¾	96¼
600 Pacific Mail	42	42	41¾	42
4700 Pressed Steel Car	50	51⅝	50	51⅜
200 Do preferred	98	98¼	98	98¼
33600 Penna. R. R.	127⅝	130¼	127½	128⅝
Pittsburg Coal	15	15	15	15
Railway Springs	58	65¾	43¾	53¾
103400 Reading	127½	130⅞	127¼	129⅝
200 Do preferred	....	....	....	....
2100 Rock Island	25	26½	25¾	26½
100 Do preferred	....	....	....	....
3500 Republic Iron	26½	29½	26½	28¾
1700 Do preferred	101	103¾	101	103
7200 Southern Pacific	65⅜	66⅞	65	65⅝
2000 Southern Railway	35	35⅞	33	33¾
400 Do preferred	100	100⅝	100	100⅛
St. Paul	176⅝	178⅜	176½	176⅝
400 St. Louis & S'w.	23½	24	23½	24
100 Do preferred	....	....	....	....
300 Texas & Pacific	33½	35¾	33½	33⅝
200 T., St. L. & W.	....	....	....	....
104100 U. S. Steel	39¾	40⅛	39¾	39⅞
36900 Do preferred	104⅜	105⅛	104½	105⅜
Do 2d 5% bonds	98½	98⅝	98¾	98¾
102500 Union Pacific	149⅞	151½	149¾	150⅝
3700 U. S. Rubber	52	53⅝	52	53¼
1300 Do preferred	....	....	....	....
U. S. C. I. Pipe	45	45½	45	45¼
1000 Wabash	22¾	23¼	22⅝	22⅝
2300 Do preferred	48½	50¼	48½	50¼
400 Western Union	93¾	93⅞	93½	93¾
100 W. & L. E.	20	20	20	20
F. M. & S pfd	101	101½	101	101½
1900 Sloss	75⅝	78¼	75¾	77½
Am. Dist. Surpn.	55⅝	56¼	55⅝	56⅛
Nickel Plate	60	62¼	60	61½
Gt. Northern Pfd	312	314½	311	314

INACTIVE LIST.

100	Am. Steel F'ries	....	11	11
400	Do preferred	....	44	43½
	Am. Ag'l Chem	....	29	28
300	Am. Gr. & Twine	....	9¼	9
100	Am Tin Pl	....	7½	7½
	Do preferred	....	35⅞	35
100	American Malt	....	5	5
	Do preferred	....	26½	26½
600	Allis Chalmers	....	20⅜	20⅜
600	Do preferred	....	56⅜	56
2700	American Wool	....	43⅜	41½
200	Do preferred	....	107	107
800	Am. Tob., new	....	104⅛	104⅛
400	Att. Coast Line	....	157	155½
200	Chicago U. T.	....	11¾	11¾
800	Chicago C. & C.	....	13⅝	13⅝
800	Denver & Rio G.	....	43⅜	43⅜
	D., S. S. & At.	....	17¾	17¼
	Do preferred	....	37⅞	36½
1000	Federal pfd	....	102	101
2900	Great North. pfd	....	214⅜	211
100	Kan. City & S.	....	29	29
200	Do preferred	....	60	59
2700	Kokomo Steel & Iron	....	25¾	25¾
100	Do preferred	....	78	78
200	M. St. P. & S. S. M.	....	149	148

200	Minn. & St. L.	....

NORTH SIDE NEWS IS STILL PLENTY

Thomas J. Hawkins Buys 204 Federal Street for $45,000. Deals in Options.

Out of the maze of rumors that were current regarding Allegheny real estate yesterday a few facts were ascertained. Through the Real Estate Corporation the property of the Long estate at 204 Federal street, between Robinson and Lacock streets, was sold for $45,000, the buyer being Thomas J. Hawkins. As the lot is only 18x100 feet and the building an old, ramshackle two-story brick structure, the price, $2,500 a front foot, is much the highest ever paid in that locality. A laundry now occupies the building, the rental being about $900 a year.

An option of $65,000, which is good until today, has been given on the property of the C. D. Simen estate at 106-108 East Ohio street, between East Diamond and Sandusky street. The lot measures 30x96 feet and has on it a three-story brick building, part of which is occupied by the Beckfield Real Estate Company.

The property of Richard Struss at 1011 East Ohio street has been sold through the office of W. F. Weitershausen for $16,000 to John Bredl, the Allegheny hotel man. A three-story brick store building, rented for $1,000 a year, stands on the lot, which measures 28.2x100 feet. The buyer will use the building later on for a hotel.

The option for $12,000, which was taken last week on the W. F. Doide property in East Diamond street, was allowed to lapse Monday, as were a number of other small options in that vicinity.

More News of Buyers.

Two Pittsburgh real estate brokers are said to be the real buyers of the Charles Bly property at Federal and North Diamond streets, which was sold 10 days ago for $120,000, although it is probable a "dummy" buyer will be substituted in the deed. Charles Donnelly is the reputed buyer of the Mutual office building in West Ohio street, the sale of which was reported Monday.

One of the men who has most cause to be joyful over the present boom in Allegheny real estate is Robert W. Cartwright, who sold his property, 905-907 Federal street, about Erin street, for $79,000 through the Samuel W. Black Company. Four years ago the property cost Mr. Cartwright $27,500, so he has made a profit of $42,500 on the deal. He has rented the storeroom which he now occupies with his hardware store for $1,600 a year for a term of years. If the remainder of the building is rented at the rate it will net about 3 per cent on the price paid.

The Greer property at 220 Federal street, between Lacock and Anderson streets, is likely to change owners any day. The sale was reported two weeks ago, but was not ratified by the orphans' court. On Monday the price was bid up to $54,000 and yesterday the figure was raised to $55,000. The lot is 20x100 feet and is improved with an ordinary three-story brick building.

Through the Samuel W. Black Company Martin and Thomas Burke have sold to W. W. Kerr of Arbuckle & Co. 214 Penn avenue for $28,000. The sale shows how rapidly property has enhanced in value in the last few months in that locality, as it is the fourth purchase of the lot within a year. Frank McCann bought it for $18,000. A short time ago he sold it to Theodore Cappell for $27,000, and Mr. Cappell sold it to Burke Bros. for $30,000. The lot is 20x110 feet to an alley and is improved with an old brick building. It adjoins two 20-foot lots owned by Mr. Kerr and his sister, Mrs. Arbuckle, and gives them 60 feet of frontage at this point. In part payment for the Penn avenue lot Mr. Kerr tendered 16 houses on 100x114 feet at the southeast corner of Ridge avenue and Frazier street, Allegheny, which were valued at $30,000. Five eight-room brick dwellings face in Ridge avenue at Nos. 1123-1137, and there are three brick houses at 558-540 Frazier street, with two frame dwellings in the rear.

Butler capitalists have leased 200 acres of land extending from Undercliff in Shaler township to Pine Creek station on the Butler plank road and will prospect for gas. Among the properties are those of W. T. Thomas, Wendelin Krause and the Savoy farm. The territory takes in a part of West Etna and it will be enlarged shortly by the purchase of other farms adjoining which are now under option.

Two New Locations for Houses.

John F. Sweeny has secured title to the Dunlap property, six acres, on the east side of Robinson street, above Fifth avenue, Fourteenth ward, for which he paid $69,000 two months ago. The department of public works has approved the plan of lots which Mr. Sweeny has laid out and which will have a total frontage of over 3,000 feet. A new street to be known as Dunlap street, has also been approved. This will be graded, sewered and paved, so that all the lots will face in paved streets. Jones & Lash have the contract for 100 houses which Mr. Sweeny will build on the plan at a cost of from $3,500 to $4,500 each. Only 50 were contemplated at first, but owing to the constantly advancing prices of building material the owner thought best to start the entire lot at once. The location of the new "Sweeny town" is very central, and inquiries are already pouring in for the houses, which will be sold on the installment plan.

J. A. Gibson & Co. will market within the next 30 days a new plan of lots facing in Termon avenue, Eleventh ward, Allegheny, and owned by the Nicholas Miller estate. The property is directly opposite Walker place and the lots will face in Termon, Millerton, Hudson and Hiles avenues, all of which will be graded. They are 50x125 feet each and 16 of them will be improved by the Miller estate with $6,000 brick houses.

Oakland Flats Fill Up Fast.

Further evidence is being offered every day that the renting season is nearly or quite two weeks ahead of time. The call for flats in the best apartment house districts is unusually large and there are few vacancies reported. Bierly & Worthington, who handle the Craft, Kennett, Elsinore and Colonial apartment houses in Craft avenue, have only one vacant suite in the Colonial. Forty tenants have already signed up in their buildings at the same rents that prevailed last year with two or three exceptions. The same agents have a large proportion of the 18 suites in the new Wilmar apartment house at Forbes and Craig streets rented.

Wilmerding is sliding into Turtle Creek. That is the verdict of Harrop, Hopkins & Taylor, borough engineers, who in resurveying the borough have discovered that the monuments or stakes which they set have moved from one-half inch to 12 inches from their original location. One large business block is out in the street two inches. The movement is said to be due to the fact that the streets are made of "filled" earth, which has started to slide.

J. Grant Anderson is the buyer of the Robinsteen property at North Highland and Stanton avenues, the sale of which has been pending for some time. The price was at first reported as $56,000, but it is said the various interests represented declined this offer and the cost of the property is now about $64,000.

Allegheny—The Land Trust Company by Thomas Travers sold for B. G. and L. L. McGeary to W. J. Horricks, 817 Ridge avenue, First ward, Allegheny, an improved lot, 22x200 feet, extending back to Harding avenue, for $7,650.

Allegheny—W. F. Weitershausen sold for J. C. Breitlauch to the Lewis Wanser Shoe Company, the 13 years Schenley leasehold on the property at 610 East Ohio street for $8,500. The lot is 18.5x10 feet and is improved with a three-story brick store building. The same broker sold for L. W. Sutton to Patrick Bane an improved lot, 16x100 feet, in West Homestead for $700.

Allegheny—Adam Hoffman of the Manchester Savings Bank & Trust Company, sold for O. R. Minnemeyer of A. Z. Byers & Company, 1917 Market street, Allegheny, a two-story brick house on 20x100 feet, for $3,500 to Louis Bodine; for Prof. J. Nelson Smith of the Sixth ward school to Harry M. and Nora B. Bartley, 1822 Franklin street, Allegheny, an eight-room brick house on 24x120 feet, for $3,000.

Lang avenue—Louis Cella sold for Anna M. Jelley to Peter Lang, Dr. J. Malady, a brick house on 45x100 feet at 706 Lang avenue for $5,900; for Olive J. Lange to the same buyer, 708 Lang avenue, a brick house on 45x120 feet, for $6,200.

Broker Goes to Old Firm.

Frank W. Adams, formerly of the Adams-Hemphill Company, and later with the Real Estate Corporation, has accepted a position with the John K. Ewing Company as salesman.

Wilkinsburg—A. D. Harrison of the Wilkinsburg Real Estate & Trust Company has sold for Henry Neff to J. F. Gassen, 817 Franklin street, Wilkinsburg, a nine-room brick house on 25x96 feet, for $6,000; for J. Adams to R. Wessel, 518 Oakwood street, a 10-room house on 30x150 feet, for $5,500; for Blaine Ewing, through Dailes & Green, to Mrs. Mary A. Long, 834 Trenton avenue, a 10-room frame house on 120x122 feet, for $4,500.

Bellevue—The price for the 60x100 feet of frontage at Oregon and Maryland avenues, Bellevue, is $11,050, instead of $7,250 as reported. The John K. Ewing Company sold the lot to J. E. Devenny.

West Liberty—Henry S. Fisher sold to C. W. Calvin to O. L. Kline a lot in Fifth avenue, Beechview, for $575.

Linden avenue—J. C. T. Cunningham sold to James G. Armstrong an improved lot, 22x96 feet, in Linden avenue, Twenty-first ward, for $5,700.

Lehigh avenue—Daniel Ashworth sold to A. L. Heiblin an improved lot, 37.5x120 feet, in Lehigh avenue, for $6,300.

Lawrenceville—Henry A. Willer sold to V. J. Broysky an improved lot, 20x100 feet, in Forty-sixth street for $3,000.

Ritchey avenue—Thomas E. Long sold to T. J. Crump a 50x160 feet in the Ritchey avenue, near Perrysville avenue, Allegheny, for $2,000.

Transfers Recorded.

S S Amer Mech Hall Ass'n to W M McCombs, Feb 27, 26th wd, Pgh, 40x120, Carson st ..... $ 9,500

Tr Western Theo Sem Pres ch to F Rafalski, Feb 26, 17th wd, Pgh, 20x100, Plummer st 1,100

Abel Louisa to Mary C Abel, Jan 29, 37th wd, Pgh, 25x100, Frankstown av., Phillips J C to C S Newton, Nov 25, N Braddock, 25x115, Loginger av 1,000

Donahue L to J T Hughes, Dec 19, 38th wd, Pgh, 25x127, Fifth st 2,200

Schoyer S Jr to H W Morrow, Jan 10, Swissvale, 52x119, Schoyer av 1,920

McIntire Kate B to H Dierker, Feb 27, 19th wd, Ally, 24x145, Kenwood av 3,000

Judd C B to E A Stroud, Jan 31, Swissvale, 45x100, Westmoreland av 1,200

Tyson Mary A to E H W McKee, Feb 26, 21st wd, Pgh, 87x165, Susquehanna street 3,400

Fagan C A to Irene A Succop, Feb 14, 22d wd, Pgh, 50x118, Bartlett st 5,100

Weir Ida S to F S Kaufman, Mch 1, 20th wd, Pgh, 30x150, Graham st 23,500

Fleming Hill to Samuel Hunter, Feb 28, 11th wd, Pgh, 40x70, Center av 10,500

Poorbaugh A A to J S Gardner, Sept 20, Mifflin twp, 37x126, Davis av 3,200

Morton M B to F Sheets, Feb 15, Sheraden, 50x100, National av 4,000

McTighe Mary to J C Godfrey, Feb 27, 6th wd, Pgh, 24x120, Forbes st 12,250

Briggs J A to N Hartman, Feb 23, 20th wd, Pgh, 46x120, Penn av 14,500

Beatty H W to Geo Wardrop Jan 11, 2d wd, Wilkinsburg, 97x169, Rebecca st ..

Pgh Coal Co to J C Brodmerkel, Jan 22, Shaler twp, 8 acres 1,000

Steel Emma T to Anna M Jelley, Mch 1, 21st wd, Pgh, 22x120, Homewood av ..

May James to T E McClary, Nov 29, 32d wd, Pgh, 25x90, Boggs av 3,800

McClary T E to Ella A Dixon, Jan 18, 32d wd, Pgh, 25x100, Boggs av 3,750

Luteran C to M Goldman, Feb 28, Homestead, 30x110, Third av 4,700

Donovan D G to C F Corman, Jan 15, Duquesne, 20x100, Lincoln av 4,525

Gardner W S to A M Cohen, Feb 6, 21st wd, Pgh, 30x120, Shetland av 7,800

Stoner M W to Isaac Jackson, Feb 26, Osborne, 60x140, Beaver st 3,000

Thornburg R to W A Buck, Mch 1, 2nd ward, Ally, 25x130, Garrison 3,900

Meanor A to B W Moses, Feb 22, Moon twp, 2 acres 2,150

Roethel J to J Guzowski, Feb 7, 26th wd, Pgh, 20x80, Carey alley 1,300

McKinley T J to Chas Kohlhaas, Feb 17, Sheraden, 25x100, Ellwood av 2,700

Lawton Real Est Co to P Haberman, Feb 17, 1st wd, Crafton, 112x70, Cross st.. 12,000

Dunn Adam to Chas Kohlhaas, Feb 17, Sheraden, 25x104, Grandview av 2,800

Taylor Jane to J A Witt, Feb 16, 28th wd, Pgh, 50x100, Colvin av 3,500

McClure D R to Reid Kennedy, Mch 15, Homestead, 108x110, Tenth av 18,000

Schenck Chas to Geo Diehl, Feb 27, Carrick, 100x175, Carrick av 2,300

Kurtz C A to Geo Brehm, Mch 5, Swissvale, 51x120, Milligan av 2,500

Donaldson H G to C Hartz, Mch 5, Swissvale, 34x182, Milligan av 2,500

Kennedy Reid to D R McClure, Mch 5, Homestead, 70x110, Fifth av 10,000

Sheraden L & Impt Co to J H Watts, Nov 29, Sheraden, 113x80, Apple st 1,550

Knoxville Land Impt Co to A M Rahe, Feb 19, Knoxville, 57x100, Zara st 1,050

Munson R H to Anna Ondik, Feb 5, McKees Rocks, 25x150, Helen st 1,100

Pig Iron Quotations.

NEW YORK, March 6.—(Special.)—Pig iron quotations at the 11 o'clock call on the produce exchange:

	Regular.		Foundry.	
	Bid.	Ask.	Bid.	Ask.
Cash	$15.75	.....	$15.75	$16.75
March	15.75	$16.50	15.75	16.75
April	15.75	16.25	15.75	16.50
May	15.75	16.25	15.75	16.50
June	15.75	16.50	.....	.....

Market steady. Sales after call, 100 June regular at $16.00.

CELERY IN GOOD DEMAND AND PRICES ADVANCING

Cabbage Figures Strongly on the Local Market—Eggs and Butter Unchanged.

It has been months since celery was in so strong favor as at present. Hardly a week has passed for the last month but there has been two or three advances. For several weeks California celery was the only grade on the market which presented any kind of an appearance. Ohio and York state have about disappeared altogether. The supply of California stock was rather light, and with a good demand a strong feeling was easily created. Within the past few days, however, Florida grades of excellent quality have made their appearance on the local market, but have not had the least effect on the California market, as there was another advance yesterday both for yard and street prices. Dealers predict a strong race between these two grades, as they are both in demand and both of good quality.

As mentioned last week, there is a good demand for young onions and large sales are reported, some of which are higher than the outside figure for goods showing extra quality. Cabbage is also a factor in the market of today. There are many grades on the market and all of them are meeting with a good sale.

The New York market reports indicate a much better feeling there in eggs, both fresh and undergrades. It is reported the supply in New York is rather light. This feeling is not being expressed locally, and the market is the same as a few weeks ago.

There was no change in the butter market from that of Monday, when a large reduction was made on the Elgin report.

HAY AND GRAIN.

Receipts bulletined yesterday were: Pennsylvania, 5 cars oats, 3 cars feed, 2 cars straw, 14 cars hay and 1 car corn. Pittsburgh & Lake Erie, 1 car hay and 1 car straw. Baltimore & Ohio, 5½ cars oats, 2½ cars hay, 1 car corn and 1 car straw.

Receipts continue to drop off and a firmer feeling is noted in all lines. Oats are picking up some in price.

No. 1 timothy ..... $12.75@13.00	No. 1 middlings ..... $21.50@22.00
No. 2 ..... 10.75@11.25	No. 2 middlings 20.00
No. 3 clover ..... 9.00@9.50	Ex fine middlings ..... 21.25@21.75
No. 2 clover ..... 8.00@8.50	No brown ..... $19.50@20.00
No. 1 mixed ..... 9.50@10.00	Bran, ton ..... $20.00@20.50
No. 2 mixed ..... 8.75@9.25	Wheat, No. 1 red, new, at mill ..... 80@85c
Straw, oat ..... 8.00@7.00	Corn—New yellow shelled ..... 44½@48c
do wheat ..... 6.50@7.00	New high mixed car ..... 47½@48½c
do rye ..... 8.00@8.75	New yellow ear ..... 46@49½c
No. 2 white oats ..... 33@35½c	No. 2 Michigan rye ..... 73@74c
No. 3 white oats ..... 31½@34½c	
No. 4 oats ..... 32½@33¾c	

FRUITS.

Apples, bbls, Kings, fancy ..... $6.00@5.50	Bananas, 1sts ..... $1.50@2.00
Other fancy varieties ..... $5.25@5.50	do 2ds ..... $1.00@1.50
do western box apples ..... 2.50@3.00	Pineapples, smooth Garrison ..... $4.00@4.50
do California, box ..... $2.00@3.25	Cayennes ..... $4.00@4.50
Lemons, Messinas, fancy ..... $3.00@3.50	Red Spanish ..... $4.00@4.50
do choice ..... $2.50@2.75	Limes, per 100 ..... $2.00@2.50
Oranges, Florida ..... $4.00@4.50	Dates, stuffed 15c
California seedlings ..... $2.25@3.00	Figs, California, box ..... 90c@$1.00
Navel ..... $2.00@3.75	Layer, lb ..... 10@20c
Cocoanuts, bags ..... $3.25@3.50	Grapes, Malaga, bbl ..... $5.00@5.50
do doz ..... 45@50c	do fancy ..... $6.00@7.00
	Grape fruit, Florida ..... $5.00@6.00
	Tangerine, straps ..... $4.00@5.00

POULTRY AND GAME.

Chickens ..... 13@14c	do turkeys ..... 25@27c
do roosters ..... 9@10c	Ducks, ruddy $1.25
do turkeys ..... 18@20c	do red head ..... $1.70@3.00
do geese ..... 14@15c	do canvas-back ..... $2.75@3.00
do ducks ..... 15@16c	Impt. golden plover, doz $5.50
do pigeons, doz ..... $1.00@1.15	do black plover $1.50
Dressed hens ..... 17@18c	English pheasants, per pair $3.25
do springers ..... 18@19c	
do roosters ..... 11@12c	

NUTS.

New California walnuts 17c	English walnuts, lb ..... 12@15c
Chestnuts, Italian ..... 7@8c	Butternuts ..... $1.25@1.50
Hickory nuts, bu ..... $1.75@2.00	Hazelnuts, lb ..... 11@12c
Walnuts, bu ..... 50@75c	Almonds, lb ..... 14@15c
	Pecans, lb ..... 11@12c
	Shellbarks ..... $2.00@2.25

DRIED FRUITS.

Raisins, 1-lb pkgs ..... 8@9½c	Evap. apricots, 25-lb box, choice ..... 10@11½c
Evap. peaches, 25-lb box, lb ..... 10@12½c	do fancy ..... 11@12c
Evap. apples, 1-lb pkg ..... 7½@7¾c	Cleaned currants, in pkgs ..... 8½@9c
	Prunes, Cal. lb ..... 5@10c

GROCERIES.

Flour.	
Fancy spg. Minn. pat. ..... $4.85@4.80	do cubes 4.85c
Kansas pat ..... $4.60@4.60	do coffee A 4.80c
Fancy winter patent ..... $4.20@4.75	do No. 1 yellow 4.35c
Rye ..... $2.30@3.85	do No. 2 yellow 4.30c
Buckwheat ..... $2.45@2.80	**Beans.**
Graham, 10-lb bags ..... $2.25@2.45	Navy, choice, H. P. ..... $1.80@1.90
Cornmeal, bags ..... $3.10@3.20	Red kidney ..... $2.25@2.30
Rolled oats, bbl $5.20	Cal. lima, lb ..... 5@5½c
do kegs $2.75	Pears, dried, bu ..... $1.80@1.55
Roasted Coffee.	do split, lb 3½c
Rio ..... 15@15½c	do marrowfat, bu ..... $1.75@1.80
Santos ..... 16@16½c	Oil, carbon, 110 deg. P. 12c
Maracaibo ..... 16@16½c	do water white 13c
Peaberry ..... 18½@19c	do Ohio W. W. 150 deg 17½c
Golden Rio 15½c	do Elaine 15c
Caracas ..... 20@21½c	Miners' oil, special brands ..... 26@43c
Standard, pkgs 14.65c	Rice, ex-fancy head, lb ..... 6¼@7c
High grade ..... 18½@19½c	do fancy ..... 5¾@6c
Molasses, fancy, refined ..... 35@38c	do choice ..... 4¾@5c
do choice ..... 31@34c	do prime ..... 4¼@5c
do open kettle ..... 37@38c	do choice ..... 5½@6c
do 2-lb 55c	Carolina ..... 5½@6c
do 3-lb ..... $1.35@1.85	Salt, No. 1 bbl $1.10
Fancy, syrup ..... 28@30c	do No. 1 extra $1.20
Maple sugar, gal $1.05	do gran. rock 95c
Sug. and cane ..... 21@25c	do pocket ..... $1.65@2.10
2-lb cans, doz 90c	do dairy $1.40
2½-lb cans, doz 90c	Lentils, fancy, ½-lb ..... 4½@5½c
5-lb cans, doz $1.70	Sauerkraut, 40-gal cask ..... $7.50@8.00
10-lb cans, doz $3.40	do 25-gal keg ..... $3.50@3.75
Maple, gal ..... 75c@$1.00	do bbls ..... $3.50@6.00
Sugar, stan. gran 4.70c	Honey, combed, w. c. fancy, lb ..... 17@18c
do bags 4.70c	do choice ..... 15@16c
do 2-lb carton 4.85c	do buckwheat ..... 15@16c
do 5-lb cags 4.85c	
do pow'd xxxx 4.85c	
do stand. pow'd 4.85c	
do cut loaf block 4.95c	

PRODUCE.

Potatoes ..... 65@70c	Lettuce, bskt ..... 40@50c
Sweet potatoes, Jersey, fancy, bbl ..... $3.00@3.25	do hampers ..... $1.00@4.50
Jersey sweets, crate ..... 30c@$1.00	Endive, bbl ..... $6.00@8.00
do medium, bbl ..... $1.75@3.00	Escarall ..... $4.50@5.00
do fancy, hamper ..... $1.00@1.10	Head lettuce, bbl ..... $2.00@12.00
Onions, yellow Danvers, bu ..... 60@65c	do hampers ..... $4.00@5.00
do bbls ..... $1.50@1.75	Spinach, bskt ..... 60@75c
Silver skins, bbls ..... $3.50@4.00	do bbls ..... $1.75@2.00
do bu ..... $1.50@1.75	Rutabagas, bbls ..... $1.00@1.15
Valencia, crates ..... $3.50@4.00	Kale, bbl ..... 75c@$1.00
do Spanish, crates ..... $1.50@1.60	Cranberries, box ..... $4.75@5.00
do green ..... 15@20c	Eggplant, crt ..... $3.00@3.50
Cabbage, bbls, Florida, new crates ..... $2.25@2.50	Garlic, lb ..... 8@10c
G. S. ..... $1.75@2.00	Watercress, doz ..... 30@40c
do pound ..... 1¾@2c	Cauliflower, Cal. crates ..... $4.00@4.50
do Savoy, bbls ..... $1.00@1.25	Carrots, bbls ..... $1.75@2.00
Green onions, doz ..... 20@25c	Cucumbers, Boston, doz ..... $2.00@2.25
Green peppers, crate ..... $3.00@3.50	Turnips, bbl ..... $1.50@1.75
California celery, crate ..... $7.00@7.50	do bu ..... 50@60c
do doz ..... 90c@$1.00	Beets, bbl ..... $2.25@2.50
Florida celery, crates ..... $3.75@4.00	Popcorn, lb ..... 4@5c
do doz ..... 75@90c	Mint, doz ..... 50@75c
Green beans, bu ..... $5.00@6.00	Parsley, doz ..... 40@50c
	Turnips, bbl ..... $1.75@2.00
	Horseradish ..... $3.50@6.00
	Brussels sprouts, quarts ..... 15@18c
	Radishes, doz ..... 25@50c
	Shallots ..... 40@50c
	Strawberries, qt ..... 40@50c
	Rhubarb, doz ..... 60@75c

CANNED GOODS.

Peaches, sts, pie $1.05	Raspberries ..... 85@95c
do pie, gal ..... 2.50@3.00	Gooseberries ..... 85@90c
do California, L. C ..... $1.90@2.05	Tomatoes, fancy ..... $1.10@1.20
do California, Y ..... $1.90@2.25	do standard ..... $1.05@1.10
Corn, fancy ..... $1.10@1.20	do gal $3.50
do standard ..... 80@90c	Succotash, 2-lb cans ..... $1.10@1.25
Cherries California, white ..... $3.50@3.75	Baked beans, cans, tomato sauce ..... 75@95c
Lima beans ..... $1.25@1.45	Salmon, doz ..... 95c@$1.60
do soaked ..... 75@80c	do red, 1-lb flats ..... 95c@$1.00
String beans, 2-lb ..... 90@70c	do pink 1-lb talls ..... $1.81@2.10
do 3-lb ..... 80@85c	Chipped beef ..... $2.25@2.75
Stringless beans ..... $1.10@1.60	Corn and roast beef, 2-lb cans ..... $2.20@2.40
Peas, marrowfat ..... 85@90c	do 1-lb cans ..... $1.16@1.30
do early June ..... 75@90c	Mackerel, broiled ..... $1.80@2.00
do soaked ..... 55@65c	Sardines, domestic, ¼s ..... $2.80@2.60
Plums, California ..... $1.40@1.65	do mustards, ¼s $2.50
Apples, N. Y., gal. cans ..... $2.50@2.75	do French ..... $6.50@18.00
Pineapples ..... $1.25@2.50	

JOBBERS' YARD PRICES.

Potatoes, car lots, fancy, bu ..... 50@60c	Apples, Fancy, bbl ..... $5.00@5.25
Cabbage, G. S., ton ..... $28.00@30.00	Choice, bbl ..... $3.50@4.25
	Onions, bbl ..... $1.50@1.60
	do bu ..... 50@55c
	Cal. celery ..... $6.50@7.00

HIDES.

Heavy green salt steers, over 60 lbs 12c	Bulls, No. 1, over 80 lbs 10c
Light steers No. 1 ..... 12½c	Calf, green salt, No. 2 ..... 11c
Cows, all weights 12c	do No. 1 ..... 13c

The Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, March 6.—Cotton futures closed steady. Closing bids: March, 10.62c; April, 10.70c; May, 10.82c; June, 10.86c; July, 10.63c; August, 10.87c; September, 10.46c; October, 10.36c; November, 10.37c; December, 10.40c; January, 10.44c. Spot closed steady 10 points higher. Middling uplands, 11.30c; middling gulf, 11.55c. Sales, 6,385 bales. The market opened firm at an advanced of 7@10 points in response to higher cables and reports of a continued big spot demand. The weather south was fairly good, and the estimate for tomorrow's receipts at Houston was liberal. These items checked outside demand and the market ruled quiet during the first hour with prices sagging off to within 4 or 5 points of last night's finals under scattered realizing and some selling by local bears. The market at mid-day continued quiet with prices steady at a net advance of 2@3 points. Spot cotton quiet. Middling uplands, 11.30c; middling gulf, 11.55c. Estimated receipts at the ports today, 33,000 bales, against 27,468 last week, and 50,117 last year. For the week 90,000 bales against 194,061 last week and 165,684 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans, 10,903 bales, against 14,486 bales last year, and at Houston 6,857 bales against 11,871 last year.

LIVERPOOL, March 6.—Cotton—Spot in fair demand; prices one point lower; American middling fair, 6.41d; good middlings, 6.07d; middling, 5.89d; low middling, 5.73d; good ordinary, 5.55d; ordinary, 5.28d. The sales of the day were 12,000 bales, of which 1,000 were for speculation and export and included 9,200 American. Receipts, 19,000 bales, including 7,300 American. Futures opened and closed steady; American middling, g. o. c., March, 5.74d; March and April, 5.74d; April and May, 5.76d; May and June, 5.79d; June and July, 5.81d; July and August, 5.83d; August and September, 5.80d; September and October, 5.65d; October and November, 5.61d; November and December, 5.59d.

	Open	High	Low	Close
January	†10.40	.....	.....	10.44
March	10.58	10.68	10.54	10.63
April	†10.60	10.62	10.68	10.70
May	10.78	10.86	10.74	10.82
June	†10.82	.....	.....	10.86
July	10.88	10.91	10.85	10.93
August	†10.84	10.88	10.81	10.87
September	10.48	10.50	10.47	10.48
October	10.37	10.39	10.36	10.36
November	10.37	10.37	10.37	10.37
December	10.39	10.41	10.38	10.40

†Bid.

Available Grain Supply.

NEW YORK, March 6.—Special cable and telegraphic communications received by Bradstreet's show the following changes in available supplies as compared with previous account: Wheat—United States, Canada, east of Rockies, decreased 2,000 bushels; afloat for and in Europe, increase 4,400,000 bushels; total supply increase, 4,291,000 bushels. Corn—United States and Canada, east of Rockies, increase 1,467,000 bushels. Oats—United States and Canada, east of Rockies, decrease 1,821,000 bushels. The leading decreases reported this week are 366,000 bushels at the Chicago private elevators; 112,000 bushels at Portland, Me.; 50,000 bushels at Port Huron, and 60,000 bushels at the Milwaukee private elevators. The leading increases are 160,000 bushels in Manitoba and 125,000 bushels in elevators in Lincoln, Neb., and vicinity.

The Whisky Market.

CINCINNATI, March 6.—Whisky, $1 25.

THE MONEY MARKET.

The local money market remains steady and unchanged at 5@6 per cent on call and time loans. Clearing house comparisons:

	Exchanges.	Balances.
Yesterday	$8,247,113 69	$1,735,234 61
Last week	9,719,585 40	2,184,066 22
Last year	7,080,067 24	1,879,440 03

Foreign Financial.

LONDON, March 6.—Consols for money 80⅞. Consols for account 80⅞. Bar silver, quiet, 29¼d per ounce. Money 2½ per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 2½@2¾ per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for three months bills is 2 7-16@2½ per cent. Supplies of money were plentiful in the market today and the demand was fair. Discounts were easier. Business on the stock exchange did not expand owing to the fact that the settlement was progressing but cheap money and a small investment demand caused prices to close firm, especially in the case of first class securities. Americans opened dull and lower but the market was upheld during the forenoon to a fraction above parity. Local bears covering and Wall street advices induced renewed support and stocks closed firm at the best quotations of the day. Reading was an exception, closing weak. Foreigners were featureless with fractional lower movements early in the day. They hardened later and finished steady. Kaffirs were in better demand after early weakness. Paris supported the market during the afternoon and early sellers covered. The bar prices were steady but some nervousness was still apparent. Japanese imperial 6s of 1904 were quoted at 103¾. Copper was strong today and closed at 80. About 650 tons were sold. Tin declined on free eastern selling but later advanced 22s 6d on American buying and closed at £102 12s 6d. About 650 tons were sold.

PARIS, March 6.—Prices on the bourse today opened heavy but improved on the better tendency in Berlin. Russian imperial 4s were quoted at 82.20 and Russian bonds of 1901 at 494.00. Three per cent rentes 89 francs 46 centimes for the account. Exchange on London 25 francs 15 centimes for checks.

BERLIN, March 6.—Prices on the bourse today opened weak, due to realizations. Later prices were firmer but at the close the tone was indecisive. Exchange on London 20 marks 43¾ pfennige for checks. Discount rates: Short bills 4½ per cent. Three months bills 4¾ per cent.

Banks and the Treasury.

NEW YORK, March 6.—(Special.)—In redemption of checks drawn by depositors of gold at the San Francisco and Seattle assay offices, today's official records show that the subtreasury paid out yesterday $6,948. Of this amount $1,486 had been deposited at San Francisco and $5,462 at Seattle. Total thus paid since Friday, $155,215, against $29,948 for the same period a week ago. Total payment by government to New York banks for the day, $3,876,000. Payment by banks to government, $4,407,000. Balance on the day's transactions, $821,000 paid by banks to government. Total net payment by banks to government since Friday, $1,320,000, against $3,626,000 similarly paid for the corresponding period a week ago, and $1,298,000 paid by banks to government a year ago.

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, March 6.—Money on call firm, 5@5½ per cent. Ruling rate 5¾ per cent. Closing bid 5 per cent; offered 5½ per cent and last loan 5¼ per cent. Time loans steady, 60 days and 90 days, 5½@5¾ per cent; six months, 5@5½ per cent. Close—Prime mercantile paper 5@5½ per cent. Sterling exchange easy with actual business in bankers bills at $4.85 75@4.85 80 for demand and at $4.83 70@4.82 75 for 60 day bills posted, rates $4.83½@4.87. Commercial bills $4.82¾. Bar silver, 64½c. Mexican dollars, 49½c. Government bonds steady. Railroad bonds steady.

Condition of the Treasury.

WASHINGTON, March 6.—Today's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the $150,000,000 gold reserve, shows: Available cash balance, $152,281,080; gold coin and bullion, $75,575,714; gold certificates, $52,326,940; silver coin and bullion, $13,378,789; silver certificates, $4,456,054; United States notes, $10,908,460; treasury notes of 1890, $44,303; national bank notes, $13,047,208; total receipts this month, $9,156,587; total receipts this year, $405,190,167; total expenditures this month, $9,670,099; total expenditures this year, $404,412,269.

Coffee and Sugar.

NEW YORK, March 6.—The market for coffee futures opened steady at a decline of 5@10 points in response to disappointing French cables. There was nothing in the Brazilian news to discourage holders, receipts remaining light and primary markets firming up as the rate of exchange declined, but there was no fresh demand of consequence and the market eased off under selling for long account. The close was steady at a net decline of 1@2 points. Sales were reported of 60,250 bags, including: May at 7.00@7.00c; July, 7.30@7.35@7.45c; Dec. at 7.60@7.65c. Spot Rio quiet; No. 7 invoice, 8 7-16c; mild quiet; Cordova, 9¼@12¾c. Sugar—Raw, steady; fair refining, 2 29-32@3 15-16c; centrifugal 96 test, 3 12-32@3 7-16c; molasses sugar, 2 21-32@2 11-16c. Refined quiet.

BULLS TAKE A HAND IN THE WHEAT PIT

Unsettled Market Is Strengthened and Closes at Highest Point of the Day.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, March 6.—Active covering by shorts who were forced to cover by the strong condition of the cash wheat market caused a firm close in the local wheat market here today, final quotations on the May option being up ½c. Corn showed a gain of ⅝c. Oats were up ⅛c. Provisions were 2½@5c lower.

The market was unsettled during the first half of the session, and prices were easily forced up or down. During the last hour, sentiment became bullish, and the market closed strong with prices at the highest point of the day. Commission houses bought freely all day and late in the session their demand was reinforced by free covering by shorts. The bulk of offerings came from pit traders who were bearishly inclined because of the favorable weather for the fall sown crop in the southwest. Poor demand for flour was again a prominent factor tending to weaken values. A report was received from East St. Louis that a mill in that place said to be one of the largest in the southwest had been compelled to close because of lack of business. This was offset, however, by reports of a strong demand for cash wheat in the southwest and northwest, but beyond this there was little news of a strictly bullish import. The improved demand was generally ascribed to an oversold condition of the market. May opened a shade lower to a shade higher at 78¾@78¾c, ranged between 78¼c and 79c, and closed at 78¾@79c. Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 78,000 bushels. The world's visible supply as shown by Bradstreet's increased 4,066,000 bushels. Primary receipts were 432,000 bushels, compared with 405,000 bushels a year ago. Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 349 cars, against 526 cars last week, and 284 cars a year ago.

The feature of trading in the corn pit was the active demand for the May delivery by a number of prominent bulls. Shorts also covered freely and the result was a sharp advance in the price of the option. The buying was stimulated by reports of wet weather, and an improved demand for cash corn. The market closed strong, with prices at the highest point. May opened a shade to ⅛c

FOUR-TRACK LINE TO M'KEES ROCKS

P. & L. E. Prepares for Important Work—Wabash Officers and Coal Men Confer.

NEW P. R. R. CITY OFFICES

The Pittsburgh & Lake Erie will likely begin the construction of its four-track line between Pittsburgh and McKees Rocks this summer by the construction of a concrete wall at Nimick, just below Saw Mill run. This wall will extend several hundred feet along the "narrows," where the bluffs below Temperanceville jut out to the narrow street above the railroad tracks. The wall is to protect the railroad tracks from slides and from a caving in of the old timber and stone walls. When it is completed the railroad company will have sufficient space for four tracks. There are now but two.

One of the hindrances to four-tracking work heretofore has been the failure of the railroad company and the United States government to agree on a bridge to be built across Chartiers creek, near the McKees Rocks station and near the mouth of the creek. The railroad prepared plans for the bridge, but the government engineers rejected them because the railroad wanted a pier in the middle of the creek to support the ends of the two-span bridge. Chartiers creek is considered a navigable stream by the government. Maj. Siebert, the United States engineer, said yesterday that the railroad will be compelled to change its plan for a bridge before consent can be given to proceed.

Another improvement for this six-mile stretch of trackage will be the elevation of the tracks at Saw Mill run and at Chartiers creek so as to have the road free from floods. At Saw Mill run the water has been six feet deep in flood time. It is understood that the Pittsburgh and Lake Erie and Wabash have reached an agreement regarding the West Side Belt coal tipple at Saw Mill run, and that the elevation of the tracks and tipple will be made this year. The coal tipple is to be raised seven feet and the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie tracks five feet, the difference being for more clearance than is at present given.

Wabash and Coal Officers Confer.

President Delano and Vice President Worthington of the Wabash were in conference yesterday with President Robbins of the Pittsburgh Coal Company and B. F. Busch, a coal operator of Chicago. The conference had to do with preparations for the coal business of this year on the Wabash lines. President Robbins' presence was due to the fact that all the coal properties along the West Side Belt are leased to the Pittsburgh Coal Company. Mr. Busch represents other large coal interests along the company's lines. The probable output for the year, the amount of equipment in service and that ordered, lake dock facilities, etc., were thoroughly discussed by the four officers. Messrs. Delano and Busch left for Chicago last evening.

Mr. Delano said there had been nothing new considered for the Wabash excepting hurrying along the work now under way. Both Messrs. Delano and Worthington denied the Wabash had taken up charters for branch lines to connect with the Jones & Laughlin Steel Company's Monongahela Connecting railroad and with McKees Rocks. Mr. Worthington said there has been no action on either proposition and nothing is being considered or will be considered in this way for some time to come.

Start Building P. & L. E. Engines.

The construction of two out of the 10 six-wheel shifting engines for the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie was begun yesterday morning in the company's erecting shop at McKees Rocks under the direction of Master Mechanic Reddig. The company expects to have three of the engines completed this month and two each month afterward until all are done. The shops are humming with new work and repairs, due to the heavy traffic and the necessity for increasing the rolling stock. The new car shop is being rushed to completion and will be done in a few weeks. The tracks in this shop are now being used. As fast as it can be done, the department under Master Painter Quest is changing the lettering of all passenger cars to "New York Central lines," with the initials of the road to which they belong in smaller letters. The oval is being used on the freight cars. The engines are also being relettered.

Y. M. C. A. Growing Rapidly.

In consequence of the new Young Men's Christian association building having been provided by the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie for the employes at McKees Rocks and along the road, the membership has doubled in the past month. At the opening of the building on February 12 there were about 300 members; there are now 600, with applications arriving in large numbers. The men are coming to realize the value of the excellent quarters provided. A two-weeks' series of meetings started Monday evening, Secretary E. J. Dunlap conducting the first series and G. C. K. Semple, state Y. M. C. A. evangelist, taking up the work last evening. Mr. Semple is well known to railroad men in this state. He was formerly a railroad man, and served as general secretary of the Pennsylvania Y. M. C. A. at Columbia for some time. The meetings are held in the assembly room at 7:45 p. m.

Pennsylvania Rushing Station.

The Pennsylvania is rushing the work on its outbound freight house at the Point. The framework is almost completed and the building will be ready for service within two months. Aside from the laying of foundations, nothing has been done toward the erection of the big inbound house. The material, however, is ready and the erection will require but a short time.

H. H. Baker Goes to Baltimore.

H. H. Baker, who has been assistant chief clerk in the general freight offices of the Baltimore & Ohio in Pittsburgh for several years, has resigned to accept the position of special agent of the Fairmont Coal Company at Baltimore. Mr. Baker has been associated with Division Freight Agent Gray. His successor has not been named.

P. R. R. Going to Fourth Avenue.

The report was current about the city yesterday that the Pennsylvania railroad had leased the first floor of the Hartley building at Fourth avenue and Smithfield street for its city passenger and ticket offices and would remove from the old offices at Fifth avenue and Smithfield on April 1. The prospective new quarters are now occupied by the Columbia Savings and Trust Company, but it is known that this bank will move on April 1. When Col. T. E. Watt, passenger agent of the western district of the Pennsylvania, was asked about the report last evening, he said that the matter would be settled today. He would neither affirm nor deny the report.

Railroad Notes.

Vice President Turner of the Pennsylvania lines west is in New York.

The Pennsylvania has just added 125 books to its Y. M. C. A. library at Pitcairn.

Commercial Freight Agent McCarthy of the Missouri Pacific returned from a business trip to New York.

Commercial Freight Agent Jackson of the Big Four attended the Central Freight association meeting in Chicago.

W. A. Cox, former general agent of the Chicago & Northwestern at Portland, Ore., has been appointed general agent of the Western Maryland at Baltimore.

Augustine D. Burke, fireman on the Baltimore & Ohio, has returned to duty after a sojourn in West Virginia. He is a son of Capt. Burke of the Western express.

The Pittsburgh delegation of the Wholesale Lumber Dealers' association occupied a special parlor car on Baltimore & Ohio train No. 14 yesterday from Pittsburgh to Washington, where the lumbermen are holding a convention.

Baltimore & Ohio shop men have been returned to the 55-hour shift after having been on the 50-hour shift since last fall. Crews on the Pennsylvania's "snappers" on the eastern slope of the Alleghenies have been granted an increase in wages.

The Pennsylvania will proceed to change the main line tracks to eliminate the grade crossings in Swissvale, Johnstown and other places. Twelve grade crossings between Bolivar and Sheraden will be eliminated by new lines for a portion of the distance and by elevation at other points.

According to the statement received by Commercial Agent Bridgers of the Norfolk & Western for the company's earnings in January, the increases over January, 1905, were: Gross earnings, $479,241; operating expenses, $152,671; net earnings, $256,539; net earnings, less fixed charges, $277,836.

Agent Morgan of the Richmond & Danville Dispatch and Commercial Agent Hunter of the Merchants and Miners' Transportation Company are touring the Ohio territory; Agent Parrack of the Atlantic Coast Dispatch is booking traffic in Northern Pennsylvania, and Commercial Agent Templeton is on a business trip to Buffalo and Rochester.

Lincoln Party Name Patent.

William, George and Richard Lowther, Mark Ryder and George Edwards patented the name Lincoln party for the county for the November election.

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FULMER NAMES CHARITIES

Gazella Eisler, an author of Budapest, Hungary wants Emil Strassburger, a local bookseller and publisher, declared a bankrupt, and filed a creditor's petition against him in the United States court. Strassburger has a business place at 927 Fifth avenue. The woman claims he entered into a contract with her to write and publish 48,650 books in seven different languages, for which she was to receive 29,065 crowns, or $14,041. She claims Strassburger canceled the contract after she had gone to an expense of $2,500. It is also alleged that Strassburger committed an act of bankruptcy by transferring the stock of his store to his father.

August Jonas, formerly proprietor of the Crystal Mirror Company of Kittanning, who is charged with making false statements in a petition of bankruptcy he filed in the United States court, was released in $3,000 bail. Jonas will be given a hearing on Friday before United States commissioner Lindsey.

The will of the Rev. B. F. Woodburn left an estate of $7,000, divided among his seven children. The share of his son Arthur H. Woodburn is left in trust, the trust being empowered to pay the legacy in such parts, at such time and in such manner as they deem best for the legatee's welfare.

George S. Fulmer makes a number of religious and charitable bequests. To the Park Avenue Presbyterian church he leaves $1,500, the income of which is to be used to pay the rent of a pew for strangers who may visit the church; $1,000 is left to the Home Mission society in memory of the decedent's late wife; $1,000 is left to the Highland Presbyterian church, near Perrysville, the income to care for the graves of the decedent's family. To his sister-in-law, Ella S. Crider, is left $1,000; Matilda A. Hastings, $3,000; May M. Taggart, $3,000; George Hastings, $1,000; George Fulmer, $1,000; Frank H. Fulmer, $1,000; Anna F. Ziegler, $500, and to Attorney Elmer E. Fulmer for legal services, $1,500.

Frank Granita, by Attorney M. R. Trauerman, filed an affidavit of defense to the breach of promise suit of Theresa Lepora. He admits he promised to marry her, but says she refused to wed after he got the license and after the bans were proclaimed in the church.

John Mitchell was sentenced three years to the workhouse for entering a building and receiving stolen goods. He is about 20 years old and wept bitterly when sentenced. James Stack gets one year in the workhouse for stealing a chatelaine bag from Amy Belke on the street. His aged mother sat beside him and sobbed aloud when the jury convicted him. Harry L. Lazell went one year to the workhouse for larceny.

In the suit of J. H. Bargebahr against Mrs. May Strong Beatty, an answer was filed by H. B. Beatty, the defendant's husband. The suit is on a note. The husband says the defendant is ill and has been for some time past and is in such a condition that she is not responsible for her actions. It is claimed that the note was given on representations of book agents of J. H. Londry and later turned over to the plaintiff to defeat any just defense the defendant might have. It is asked that the bill be dismissed.

Mary V. Hannon sued the Allegheny-Bellevue Land Company for $1,000 damages. She says the contractor for the purchase of a lot in East Bellevue for which she paid $25, later giving a check for $607. When the Enterprise National bank failed she says the deal was called off. She says her check was taken as cash and she now demands $1,000, which she claims the lot is worth now.

Common pleas court No. 2 postponed the sale of the National Cable and Wire Company until March 13 on the petition of David Carlin, a stockholder. This company was declared insolvent as a result of the Enterprise National bank failure. T. Lee Clark was president. That bank held $58,600 worth of the company's bonds as security for notes aggregating $36,000, the petitioner says. The total indebtedness, he avers, is $98,000, and since the closing of the bank, these $58,000 bonds have not been presented for payment, nor can they be located, he says. This leaves, he says, an actual ascertained indebtedness of $40,000, with $58,000 unaccounted for. The sale was set for yesterday afternoon, but the petitioner says to sell now would be to the detriment of the stockholders. He also says a better price may be obtained later. The court extended the time of sale to March 13 at 3 p. m. Attorneys A. M. Imbrie, W. W. Wishart and J. M. Hunter represent the company.

Judge Frazer dismissed the bill in equity for an accounting for royalties on boiler feeders filed by Robert G. McAuley against the Chapman-Fulton Manufacturing Company. The court holds the invention of one of the defendants is a new one and concludes that the plaintiff is not entitled to an accounting.

A decree in divorce was granted Annie L. Gasser from Albert Gasser on grounds of desertion.

The Penn Petroleum Company has filed a petition for dissolution and the court fixed March 24 for a hearing. Attorneys Thompson & Thompson are the solicitors.

The Allegheny Valley General hospital, to be built in Tarentum, has applied for a charter. Attorney Nelson McVicker represents the institution.

INDICTS COACHMAN.

Negro Who Reflected on Mrs. Hartje's Character to Be Tried for Perjury.

The grand jury returned a true bill yesterday against Clifford Hooe, the negro coachman, formerly employed by Augustus Hartje of the East End, who was charged with perjury by John F. Scott, father of Mrs. Hartje. The information followed a sensational affidavit sworn to by Hooe which reflected on Mrs. Hartje's character and which is part of the records of the Hartje divorce case now pending before the courts.

Other true bills were: Burglary, W. J. Ritsey, Charles Murphy et a al.; entering a building, George Wilson; robbery, Harry Carpenter; perjury, Jacob Sternberg; false pretense, Neil Daugherty; aggravated assault, Jacob Kepler, John Geske; larceny, Henry Brucker, L. E. Glenn, Thomas Harris, Patrick Kerlin, Margaret Zolbert; assault and battery, "Steve" Andelly, Charles McMullen; misdemeanor, Mary Dell, Charles Wilson; receiving stolen goods, Samuel Taylor.

THINKS PRICE HIGH.

Allegheny County Objects to Paying $125,000 for the Williamsport Bridge.

While the Allegheny county commissioners are willing to join with Washington county in freeing the Williamsport bridge, connecting Monongahela City and Monongahela station on the Pittsburgh McKeesport & Youghiogheny railroad they object to the price. The viewers have awarded the bridge company $125,000. Half of this is to be paid by Allegheny county.

The courts have declared the bridge free and the question of price will be settled later. The Allegheny commissioners will file exceptions to the viewers' award. They are not certain the bridge is worth $125,000. William Baylis will continue as bridge tender.

The commissioners and the supervisors of Penn township have joined in a petition to have the state improve four and one-half miles of the Frankstown road.

Joseph Wall was yesterday appointed register and assessor of Forward township by the county commissioners. A tie resulted at the election for the office between Wall and his opponent.

To Benefit Enterprise Depositors.

Receiver Thomas Rinaker of the Enterprise National bank was informed yesterday by Francis J. Torrance that negotiations were under way for the sale of the Santa Fe Central railroad. It is understood $2,500,000 will be paid for the road. Receiver Rinaker says the sale of the road will be a benefit to the depositors of the Enterprise bank.

Two Cases of Spotted Fever.

Two cases of spotted fever were reported yesterday to the Pittsburgh bureau of health, the victims being Jessie Snow of 5 Allison street, and Clyde Bull of 2404 Berg avenue. Other contagious diseases reported were: Typhoid fever, 28 cases; scarlet fever, 5; diphtheria, 2; pneumonia, 7, and measles, 18.

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DO you know the extraordinary value you can get for your money when you buy goods on the Walker plan? Take a $10.00 order for example. Do you know that if you went to the cheapest store in town it would be impossible to get the same quantity of goods, even of a lower quality, and the article you may select for your premium for less than $20.00? The same thing applies even to a greater extent on the premiums that are given with a larger quantity of goods.

You may ask how we can afford to give such extraordinary value. The reasons are simple. Perhaps you know that in every line of business, the customary way of placing goods in the hands of the customer is for the manufacturer to hire expensive salesmen to travel from city to city and town to town and sell the goods he makes to some jobber or wholesale dealer. Oftentimes he meets with indifferent success, but the expenses of the traveling man go on just the same. These expenses vary from 10 to 20 per cent. of the selling price of the article manufactured, and must be added to the cost of the goods before the jobber gets them. But this is not all. The manufacturer, in order to make it easier for his traveling representative to sell his goods in every town he visits, is obliged to spend enormous sums of money in advertising his wares.

Have you any idea as to what this magazine or newspaper advertising costs? Do you know that a certain monthly publication charges as much as $6,000 for one page for one insertion? Think of it! This enormous sum of money for one insertion only, to be added to the cost of the article advertised without adding one iota to the quality or the value of the article advertised.

Yet this is not all. After all this money has been spent by the manufacturer to advertise his goods and to place them in the hands of the wholesaler or jobber, it becomes necessary for the wholesaler or jobber to engage another lot of traveling salesmen to sell the manufacturer's goods to the retail dealer. Then Mr. Retailer, in order to be successful, must also advertise so as to get your patronage.

Now let us see what expenses have been added to the cost of the manufacturer's goods before the consumer gets them. There is the

Manufacturer's Traveling Salesmen,
Manufacturer's Advertising Expenses,

Then there is the

Wholesaler's General Expenses.
Wholesaler's Advertising Expenses,
Wholesaler's Traveling Men's Expenses,
Wholesaler's Bad Debts,
Wholesaler's Profits.

Then the

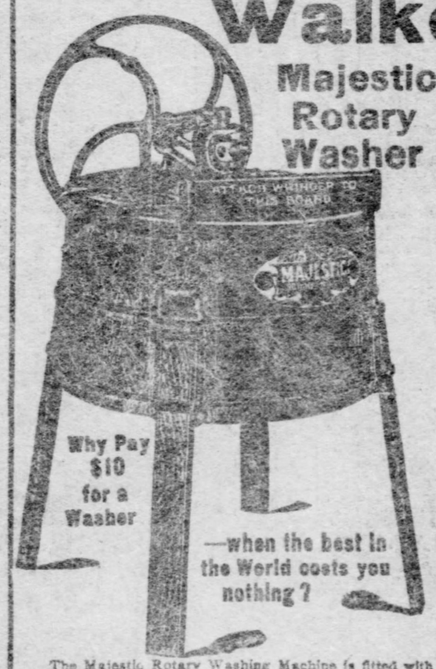
Retailer's Expenses,
Retailer's Advertising Expenses,
Retailer's Bad Debts,
Retailer's Profits—

—eleven different items of expense which must be added to the cost of every article manufactured before it gets into the hands of the consumer when sold in the ordinary way.

In selling our goods direct to you, the consumer, we cut out all these unnecessary expenses of the manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler and retail dealer, which you can readily see do not add anything to the quality or value of the article.

We are satisfied with a single profit—the manufacturer's—and this is the reason you can get more and better value for your money by buying your goods on the Walker Plan than it is possible for you to get in any other way. And this is the reason why all housekeepers should become interested in our manner of doing business, and tell their friends and neighbors about it.

Walker Premiums



The Majestic Rotary Washing Machine is fitted with *ball bearings* and is the *lightest running* machine on the market today. Very latest make of washing machine. The gearing is improved and fully galvanized. It is stronger and better finished than any other machines. The tub is of seasoned Virginia white cedar; has a flat hoop at the top and electric welded wire hoops at the middle and bottom, sunk in grooves, and warranted not to break or fall off; inside is fully corrugated, similar to a washboard; there are no pails or blocks on the inside to catch the clothes, and the most delicate fabric can be washed without injury; suitable for a family of from 8 to 10 persons. With a "Majestic" you can wash in half the time it takes with other Machines. This machine is given away free with $10 worth of Walker's Goods of your own selection.

or Given Free for 5 Certificates.

Majestic Rotary Washer
Parlor Furniture
Library Furniture
Dining Room Furniture
Baby Carriages
Mirrors
Davenports
Desks
Kitchen Cabinets
Ranges
Washing Machines
Refrigerators
Sewing Machines
Sofa Beds
Rugs
Lace Curtains
Draperies
Sideboards
Morris Chairs
Morris Rockers

and 1100 other articles that go to ornament and furnish a home.

Walker Rocker—No. 9

A good substantial Rocker, celebrated for its pretty design and its merits as one of the most comfortable rockers ever made. A splendid piece of furniture. Those who appreciate elegant furniture will make no mistake in selecting this chair. The rich, large flaked grain of the solid quarter-sawed oak is brought out by the fine piano polish. Beautiful shape; five ply veneered seat and back which are guaranteed not to warp or separate. Seat of the rolling kind, a shape very conducive to luxurious ease; well made. Height of back from floor 30 in., seat 15x17 in., side piece 11 in. wide. Shipped knocked down and crated. Easily set up. Full instructions for setting up with each chair.

This Chair is given away free with $10 worth of Walker's Goods of your own selection.

or Given Free for 5 Certificates.

You can get any of our premiums absolutely free by organizing a Walker Club of ten members among your friends and saving your certificates. For example, by simply organizing only one club you will get ten certificates, which would entitle you to both the Washing Machine and Chair illustrated above and in addition thereto $5 worth of goods of your own selection; $25 value for simply organizing one club.

Why not organize several clubs at once?

Write for our Large Catalogue, which fully explains the Walker Plan of Household Economy—or better still, come and see our Premium Display. Take a Millvale or Etna car and tell the conductor to let you off at Walker's Bridge.

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